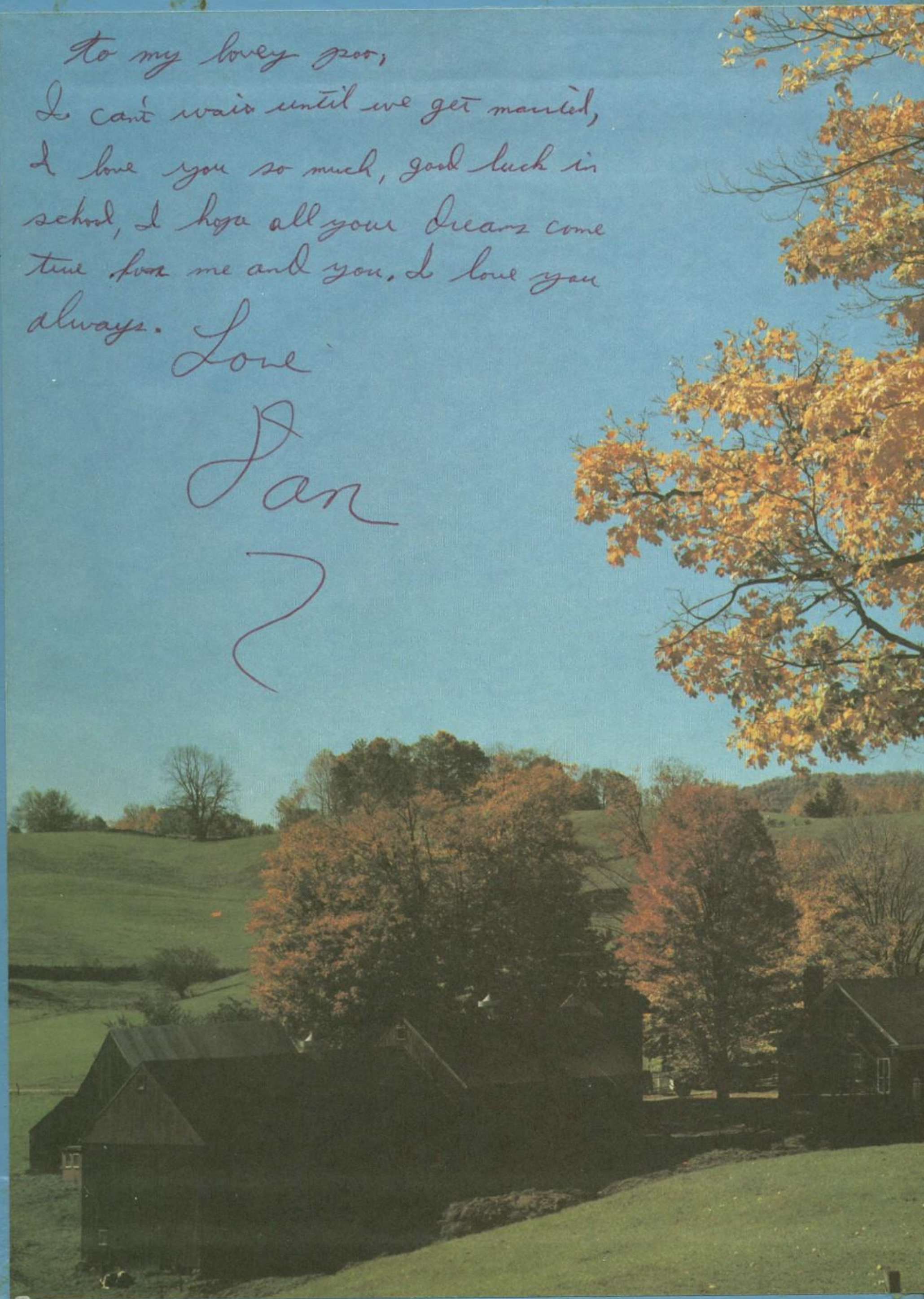
CEN-TRAILS

To my lovey zoo;

I can't wait until we get married, I love you so much, good luck in school, I hope all your dreams come true for me and you. I love you always.

Love

Dan



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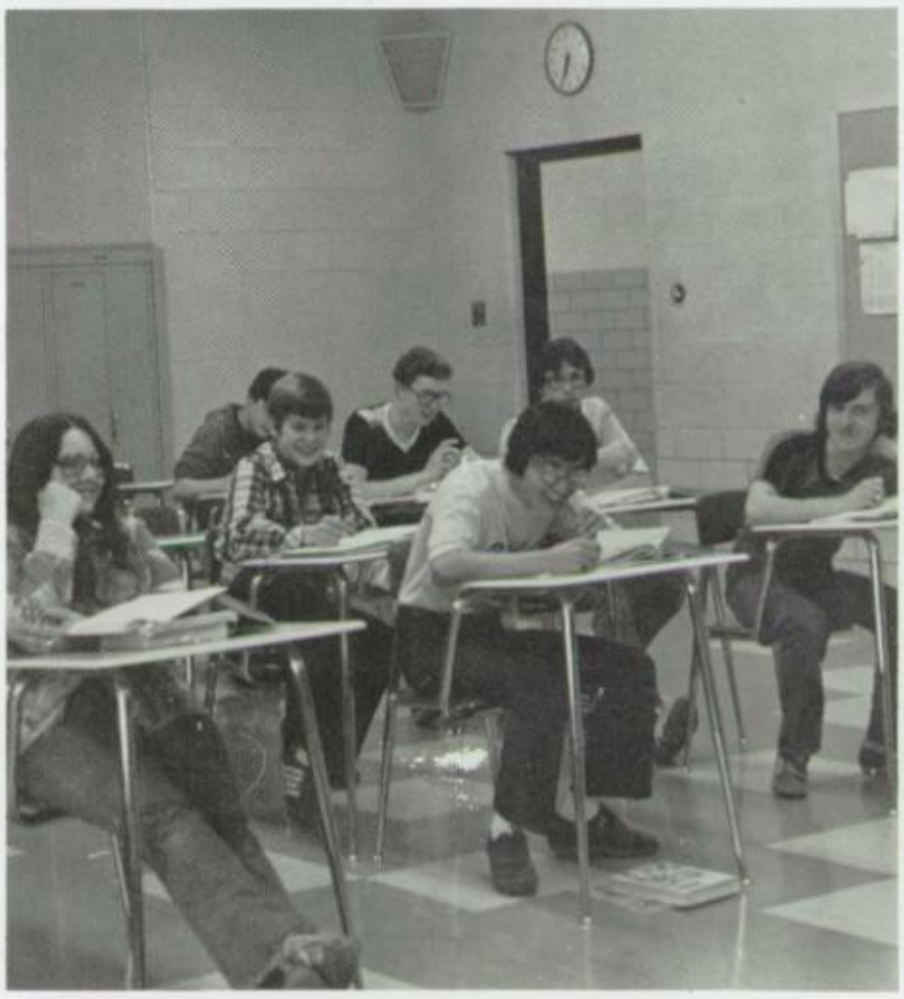

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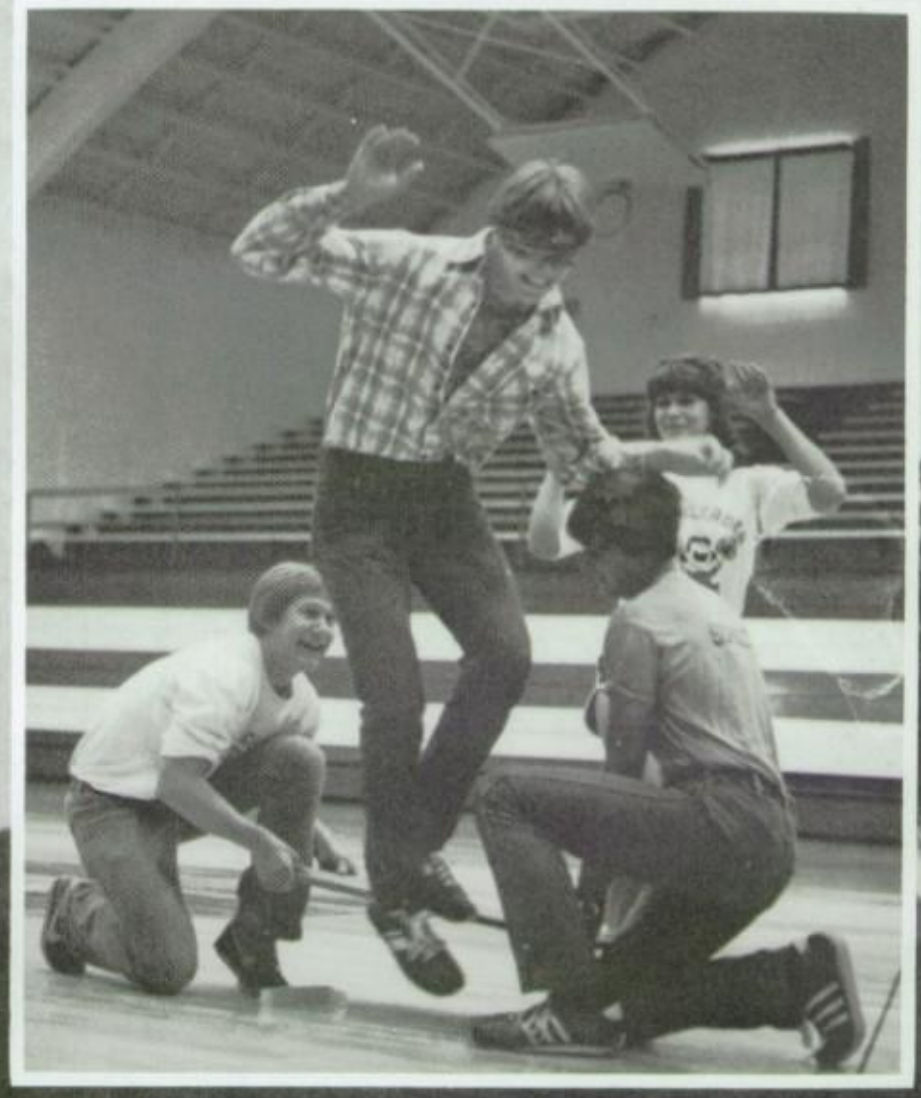

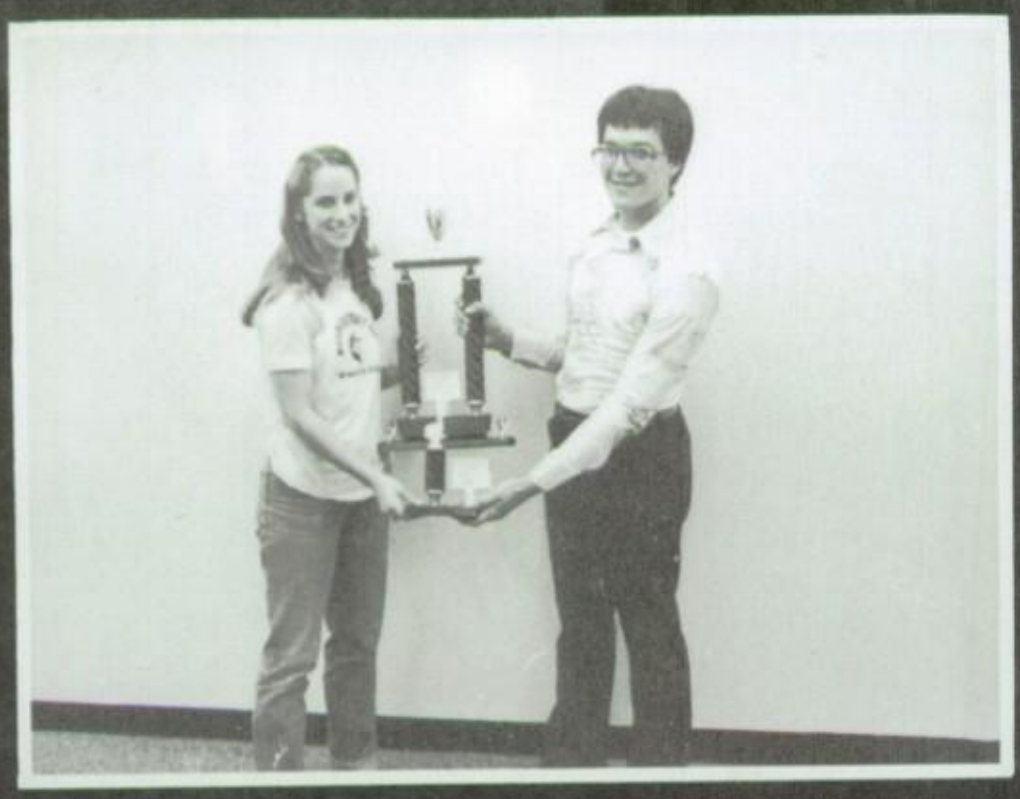

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DEDICATION = PUB!

Few people know the amount of responsibilities in Publications. With the help of our Yearbook Editor-in-Chief, Deb Smith and Newspaper Editor-in-Chief, Dan Lambert, what would we do without them?

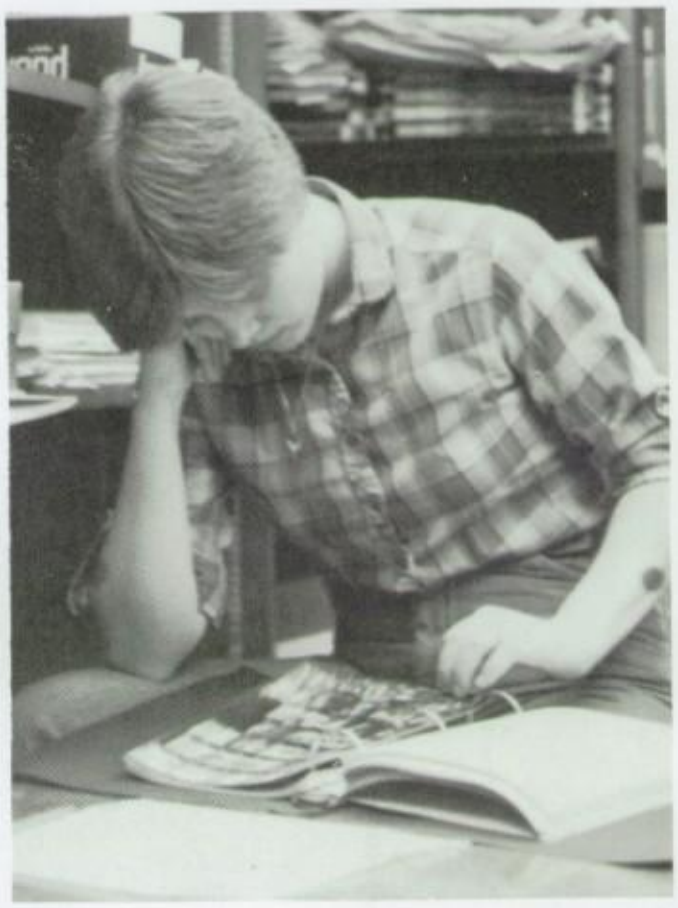
Assisting Deb with the 1981 yearbook were: Lynne Waltmire-Design Editor, and Margaret Caudle-Copy Editor. The newspaper editors included: Max Barger-Assistant Editor, Scott Smith-Feature Editor, Jana Baumgartner-Sports Editor.

The Publication Staff consisted of 27 students. Each student had his own responsibility for the newspaper and yearbook.

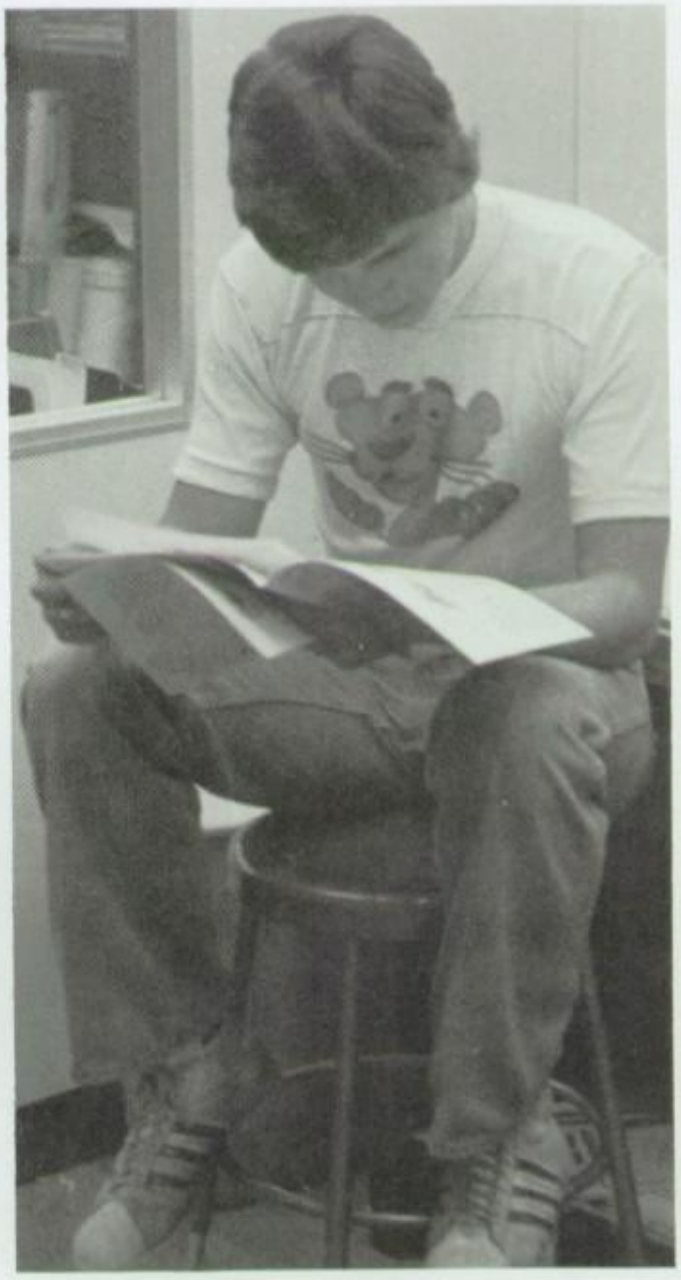
Many thanks to our editors, our advisor, Mr. Markley, and our dedicated staff for their hard work throughout the year.

Newspaper Editor **Dan Lambert** concentrates on where to place the next article on the layout sheet.

Penny Vanhorn works on picking out pictures for the yearbook.



All three yearbook editors stay after school to work on the ladder to organize the 1981 Cen-trails.



Feature Editor **Scott Smith** takes time out to proofread the Jet Stream.

The Pub staff takes out time to show their farming spirit for the yearbook.

Rhoda Longenberger is determined to get her story typed before deadline.

Design Editor **Lynne Waltmire** advises **Cindy Hartman** on what to do for her layout.

Assistant Editor **Max Barger** and Sports Editor **Jana Baumgartner** proofread a story for the newspaper.

FCA GROWS CLOSER WITH

FCA MEMBERS-(First row) Andy Lehman, (Second row) Nat Bryan, Elinor Sprunger, (Third row), Ann Bowers, Lynn Gagle, Pat Kohne, (Fourth row) Janalee Middendorff, Amy Lengrich, Rhoda Longenberger, Patty Braun, (Fifth row) Linda Myers, Paula Black, Ronda Byerly, Dan Nelson, Deanne Lehman, (Sixth row) Deb Smith, Becky Bauman, Sharla Vandeventer, Lori Dick, Marilyn Strayer, (Seventh row) Sharon Strayer, Chad Bryan, Dove Vanhorn, Susie Chapman,

Sharon Strayer and **Sharla Vandeventer** take time to discuss events during one of the many meetings.

Bob Barger soaks **Terry Fawcett** with a sponge at one of the many booths at the FCA Carnival.

OTHERS AND GOD

Dan Nelson entertains guest speakers Rusty Strickler and Cindy Speakman at the picnic.

FCA members get ready to eat at the picnic.

As you can see FCA is not all work as members search for lost frisbees and balls.

This year the boys and girls FCA groups had separate and combined meetings as they grew closer with each other and God. Many of the subjects they discussed were how to handle anger, to deal with jealousy and how to witness effectively.

The boys group held a bike-a-thon this past year to raise money for the St. Judes Hospital. Many students and faculty participated to raise funds for this worthy charity. The sponsor for the boys was Barry Humble with Andy Lehman as President and Bruce Gagle as Secretary-Treasurer. The girls sponsor was Audrey Almdale with 8 huddle captains.

The groups combined held their 4th annual FCA Carnival at the school on Saturday, May 16. There were 10 booths for people to play and to earn tickets to get prizes which were donated by area businesses. They also had a bake sale and a talent show. All the money that they earned went to the Indiana Chapter of Cystic Fibrosis.

The FCA members planned activities that lasted throughout the summer. The Seniors gained many truths and helpful hints which will help them in the future.

COUNCIL PLANS EVENTS

Student Council

The 1980-81 student council was sixteen members strong. The council met once a month to plan upcoming student events.

The first event was a dance after a home football game. During the month of February, the council planned a Sweetheart Dance, but due to conflicts with the band the dance was cancelled.

The final student council event was the annual playday. Playday was held on May 13, the Senior's last day. All who turned out had an enjoyable afternoon though the weather was slightly blustery.

The 1980-81 officers were:
President-Penny Vanhorn
Vice-President-Deanne Lehman
Sec./Treas.-Dan Lambert.

President **Penny Vanhorn** counts **Lisa Clark's** turns in the bat race during playday.

Student Council Sponsor **Mr. Van** coordinates the playday events.

N.H.S. MEANS QUALITY

NHS members prepare for a meeting of the chapter during activity period.

Nine Juniors and four Seniors were inducted this year into the organization known as the National Honor Society. This organization of Adams Central is one of quality and the members are chosen on their qualities of character, leadership, service, and scholarship. The new members and the twenty-one old members were prime examples of these qualities.

Of these thirty-four members, four Seniors were elected as the officers. These officers worked hard for the chapter as well as conducting the S.A. chapter's initiation. The officers were as follows:

President-Andy Lehman
Vice President-Lisa Clark
Secretary-Beth Kipfer
Treasurer-Laura Middendorf.

Adams Central chapter of National Honor Society

NHS officers conduct the initiation at the scholarship dinner awards night.

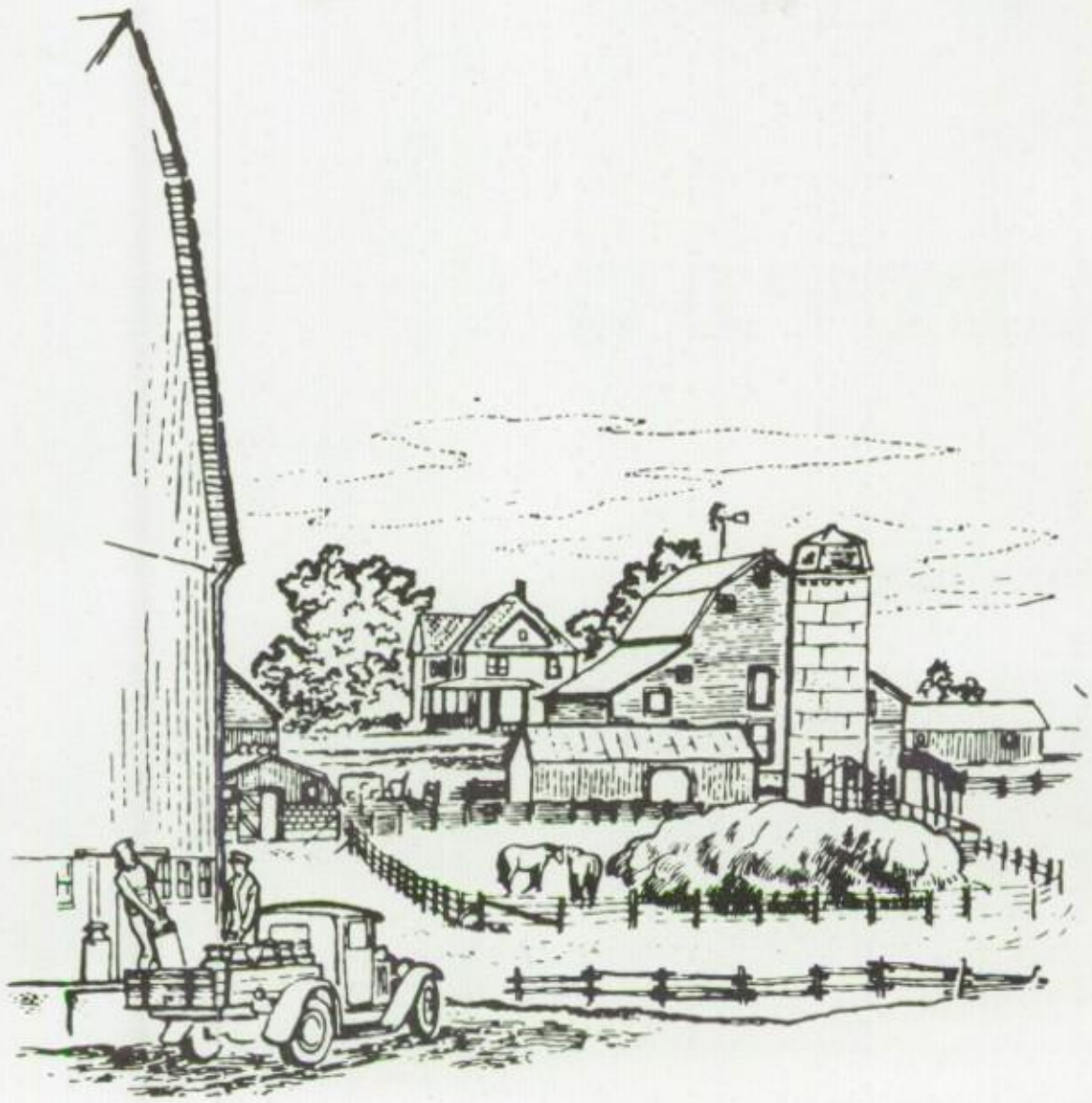
Roger Roe, Dan Lambert, Mike Gremaux, and **Leroy Striker** relax a moment during an activity period meeting of the NHS.

Varsity Cheerleaders: (First Row) Dan Lambert, Cheryl Bluhm, Cari Parrish, Max Barger, (Second Row) Marcie Pritt, Jed Speakman, Jodi Holtsberry, Dale sprunger, Jim Jesionowski, Kim Snyder.

We're from Central!

Seniors **Cheryl Bluhm** and **Jodi Holtsberry** celebrate after another Jet Victory!

The Varsity and JV Cheerleaders combine for a "Go, Fight, Win" pyramid.



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CLUBS

JETS HAVE S-P-I-R-I-T

Raising school spirit, the cheerleaders involved the Pep Club and fans in spirited chants and cheers.

Before their ten month season started, the three squads went to different camps, such as Notre Dame, Syracuse, and Valparaiso to learn new cheers and chants, and to meet a lot of new people.

Aiding the five varsity girls were five Junior and Senior guy cheerleaders. The male cheerleaders helped with many mounts and added a lot to the general appearance of the cheers.

Freshmen Cheerleaders: Lisa Bowen, Lisa Yager, Janean Isch, Cathy Hoffman.

Junior Varsity Cheerleaders: Amy Fellers, Julie Frey, Deb Wies, Amy Striker.

Our very own "spirit sponsor" **Janet James,** reveals her true identity.

PEP CLUB SHOWS SPIRIT

A.C. Fans celebrate the Jets Sectional victory!!

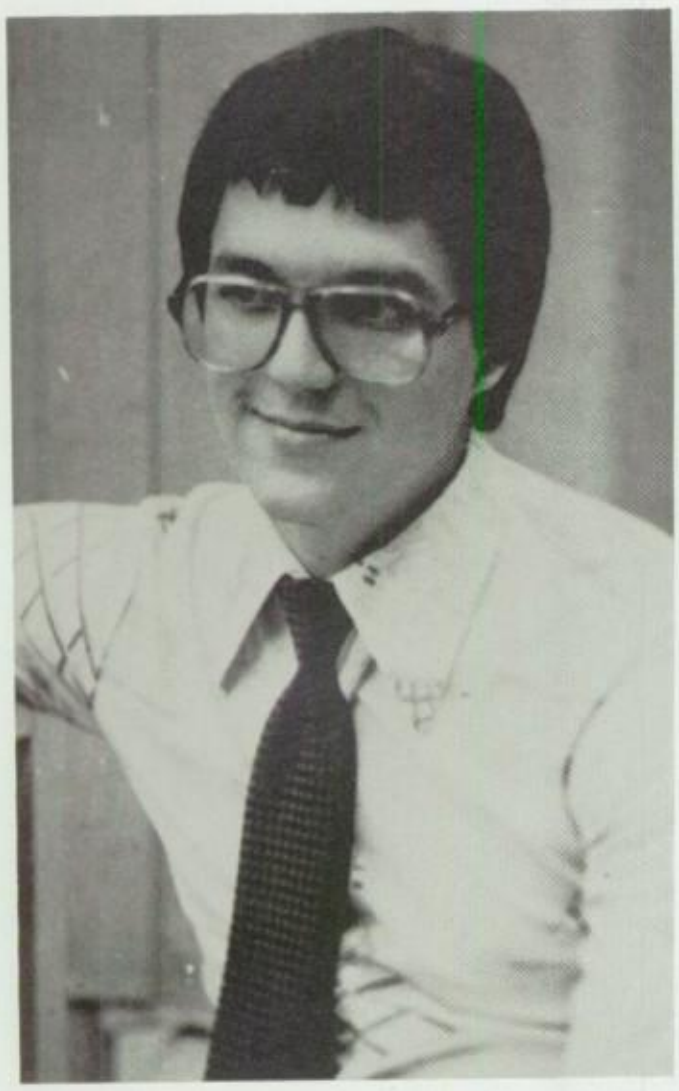
The Pep Club showed a support of the A.C. team in the wearing of blue jeans and red jerseys. Also added this year to the outfits were red cowboy hats for those wishing to have one. The Boys Pep Club also lended a hand in firing up the team. The members of the clubs showed spirit in many ways-one being the holding up and ripping of the giant sign at the Bellmont game. The A.C. Pep Club showed spirit and a drive to win throughout the season. The officers for the 1980-81 school year were as follows: President-Brenda Lambright, Vice-President-Lori Workinger, Secretary/Treasurer-Helen Pyle.

Juniors begin the difficult task of the winning Sectional hall.

"Rip 'em up, tear 'em up, Go!! Go!!" shouts the A.C. Pep Club.

PEP + BAND = SPIRIT

Jets Band success puts a snicker on **Mr. Cole's** face.



Members of the brass section back the Jets with their mellow brass sound.

The Pep Band, directed by Mr. Cole, worked hard and kept everyone interested throughout the year. Showing spirit and enthusiasm, the band performed at all home basketball games, pep sessions, and the ACAC Tourney. The band accompanied the corps in providing the pregame activities throughout the season. Basketball pregames were another of the many firsts for the band. The Pep Band showed skill and lots of improvement as the members rehearsed before school, learned, and performed a new variety of pep songs and fanfares. Pep Band was a terrific way of backing our Jets.

Corps girls practice in the hallway learning the new basketball pregame.

Kathi Abbott, Susan Chapman, Melody DeArmond, and **Lynette Welker** concentrate on their playing of the school song for the cheerleaders.

The concert band poses after presenting a fine concert.

BAND COUNCIL-(First Row) Michelle Coalson, Delin Johnson, Rhoda Longenberger, (Second Row) Melody DeArmond, Bruce Gagle, Chad Bryan.

Laura Middendorf stands at attention during the pregame show.

The Jazz Band takes time out from their hectic performance schedule.

AND THE BANDS PLAYED ON . . .

The Adams Central Flying Jets Auxiliary Corps

The Jets Band underwent lots of great changes this year. Under the direction of Mr. Cole, the band found a new success and pride in the organization.

Marching Band performed at 12 parades and field show contests throughout the summer and autumn months. The band captured several awards and trophies throughout the season such as the Best Inspection Award at an Indianapolis Contest. Drum Major, Rhoda Longenberger, won the Outstanding Drum Major Award at the District NISBOVA too. As a result of hard work, determination, and dedication the band became known for their improvement, fine performances, and many successes.

New corps outfits, flags and rifles added an important visual effect. The auxiliary corps even competed in spring contests which was a first for the AC corps. Under the supervision of Mrs. Cole the corps improved much and performed well.

The Jazz Band practiced weekly during the winter and spring to prepare for concerts and other performances; however, was unable to perform at the NISBOVA contest due to illnesses. Concert Band rehearsed also and attended the NISBOVA contest which was another first for the Jets Band. The band also performed at concerts and the Chicken Bar-B-Que.

Several members participated in the District NISBOVA Solo and Ensemble contest. This strengthened the band immensely. A trumpet trio of Laura Middendorf, Max Barger, and Delin Johnson went to the State Contest as did Susie Chapman and Michelle Coalson as soloists.

Improvement and success were the key words when describing the band department at A.C.

The Jazz Band swings into action at the Winter Concert with the playing of "Marbles."

INTERNATIONALE CLUB

Internationale Club Officers and Representatives -(First row) Debbie Kahlert (sect'y), Jodi Holtsberry (treasurer), Jim Jesionowski (Vice-pres.), Jill Johnson (Pres.) (Second Row) Rhonda Wilder, Max Barger, Deanna Moeschberger, Sherri Sprunger, Becky Archer, Tony Mountz, and Twyla Wolfe.

This year was the first for the Internationale Club at A.C. The club was formed by a combination of the French, German, and Spanish clubs. Members must have completed at least one year of one of those foreign languages or presently in a foreign language class.

The club did various activities during the year. In October they held a dance for the whole high school. A Christmas Party, complete with piñatas, crepes, and tannenbaum, was held for the members of the club in December.

The club traveled to several international restaurants including the Epicurean, Takoaka, and the Heidelberg.

This year was a great success for the new Internationale Club, and all members are looking forward to next year!

Jill Johnson prepares a German delicacy for the Christmas Party.

THRIVES ITS FIRST YEAR

Jeff Smitley takes a whack at the pinata while **Mrs. McKenzie, Janice Heimann** and **Rena Reidenbach** watch.

Sampling foreign food is fun!

Internationale Club

Yeah! The pinata broke open!

FFA INCREASES ACTIVITIES

Mr. Merillat thanks everyone for contributing to the Thanksgiving food drive.

President **Dan Weber** calls the FFA meeting to order.

The Future Farmers of America

The Adams Central Chapter of FFA advanced its projects and activities this year.

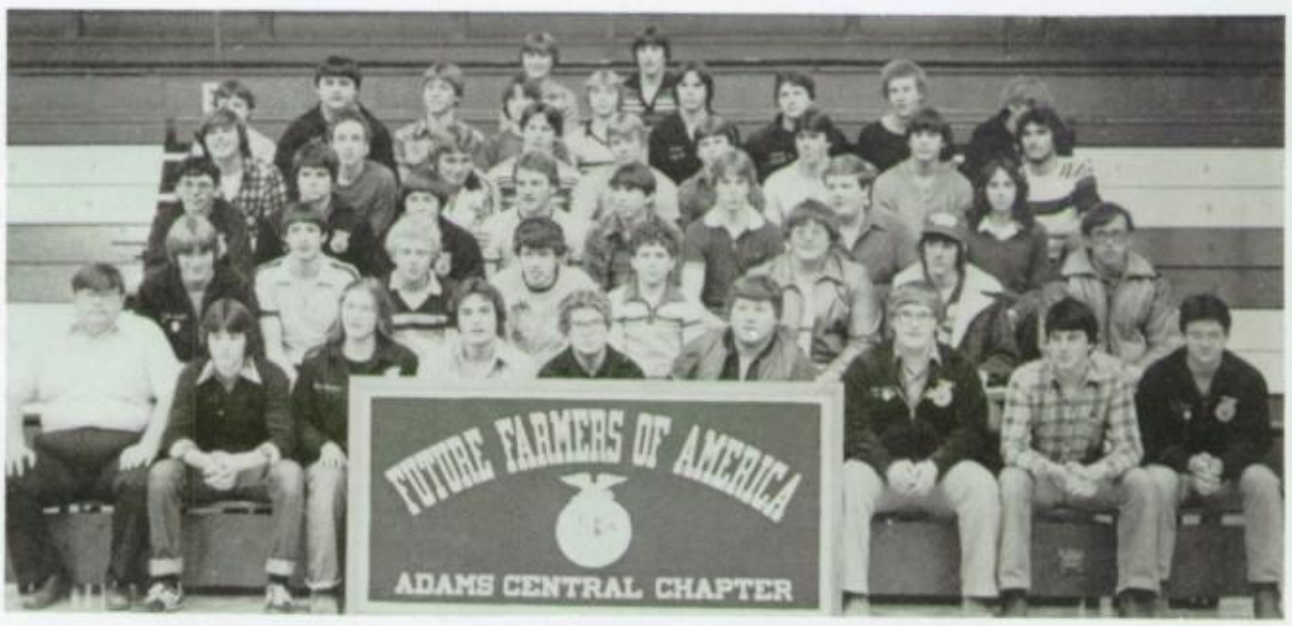
The chapter officers traveled to Kansas City, Missouri, in November to attend the National FFA Convention. Seven chapter members attended leadership camps to develop speaking and parliamentary procedure skills.

The Soils Judging Team won the county soils contest for the 21st straight year. They went on to finish 8th in the State Contest.

The Dairy and Livestock Teams won the county contest also.

Penny Vanhorn was selected as the FFA "Sweetheart" this year.

To round out the year, the Chapter was given five acres of land by the school board to use as a corn test plot and land laboratory.



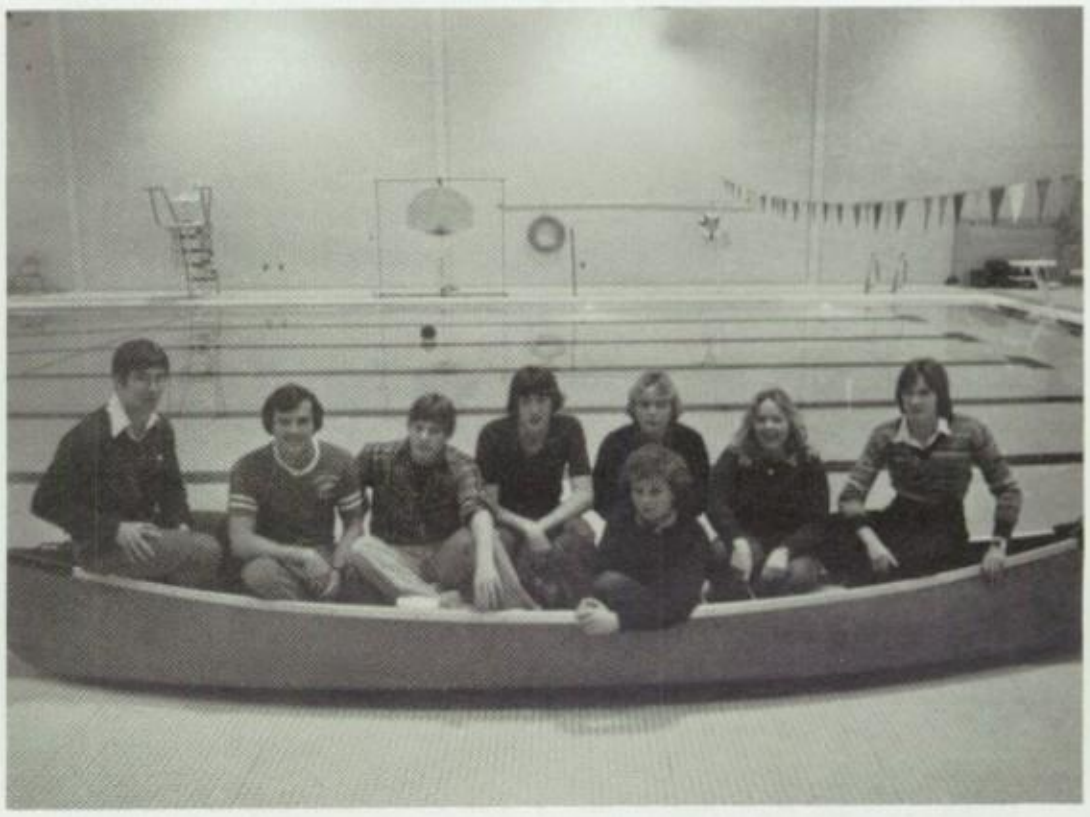
FFA "Sweetheart" **Penny Vanhorn**

Scott Taylor, Greg Vanhorn, and **Delin Johnson** combine their efforts in a soil judging contest.

LIFEGUARDS "COACH" SWIMMING

Anna Laitinen helps keep her student afloat.

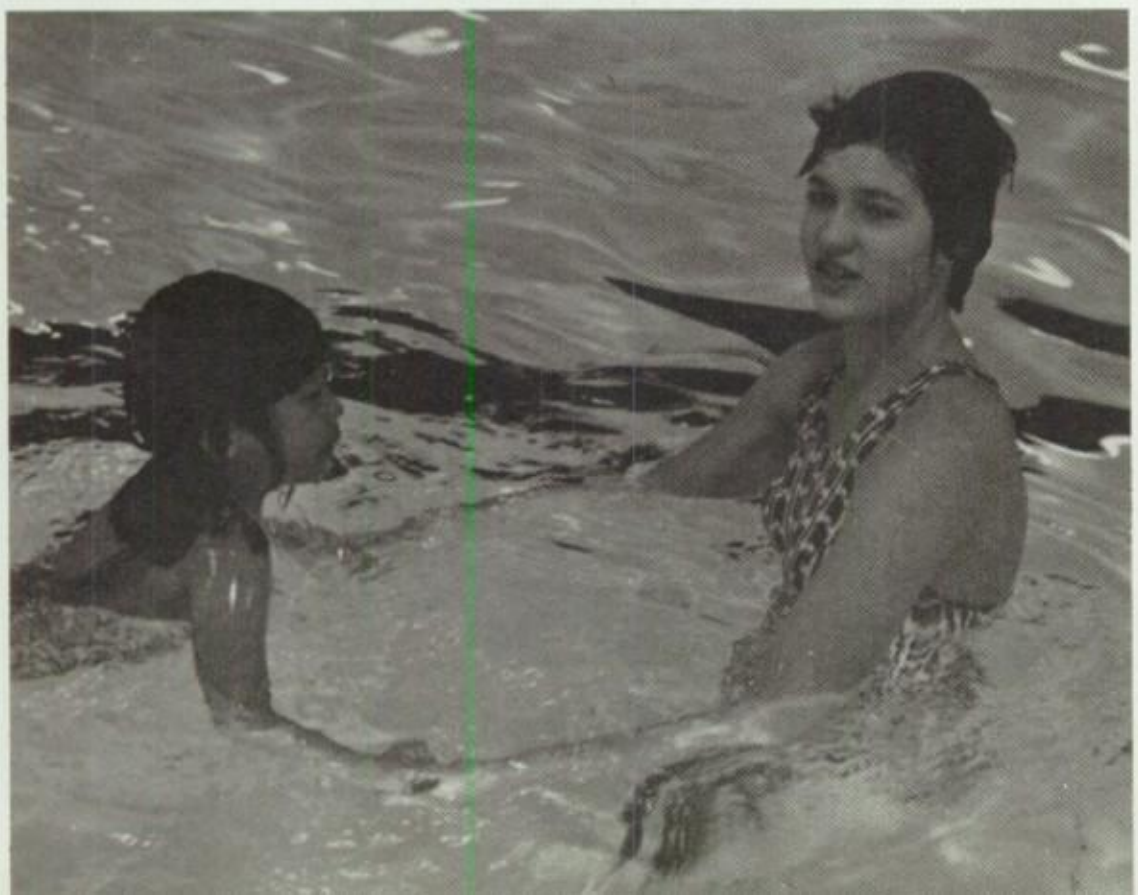
Lifeguards-Keith Hirschy, Tom Hough (Instructor), Richard Gerber, Ken Brodbeck, Anna Laitinen, Audrey Fuelling, Sandy Fuelling, Deb Lambert.



Audrey Fuelling coaxes a student into the water.

Nine students, including foreign exchange student Anna Laitinen, enjoyed being lifeguards throughout the year. For the first time, lifeguarding was introduced as a class and proved to be successful.

The lifeguards took the opportunity during pool rental and open swim to use their skills and work themselves up to being top notch lifeguards. They also taught younger children how to swim, and helped coach the AAU swim team.



Deb Lambert gives assistance to a student.

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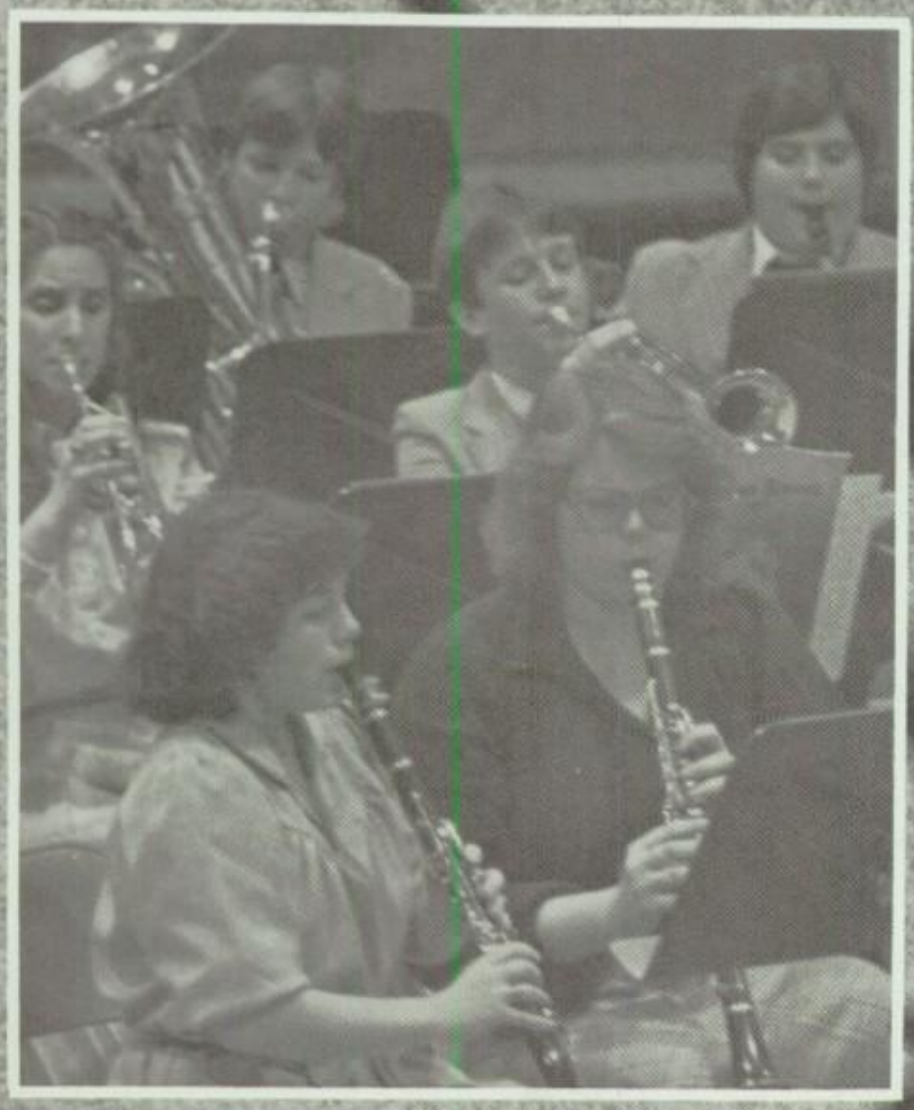

LAMBRIGHT REIGNS AS JETS WIN 56-6

Barking out instructions to his team **Coach Minnich** calls for order at the pregame bonfire.

The excitement of Homecoming night shows itself in different forms on the faces of **Kathy Wyss** and **Rex Harris.**

The 1980 Homecoming Court: **Elinor Sprunger, Kathy Wyss, Debbie Smith, Jill Johnson, Queen Brenda Lambright, Anita Braun, Cheryl Rich, Jodi Holtsberry, Cheryl Bluhm.**

1980

HOMECOMING QUEEN

BRENDA LEE LAMBRIGHT

Jet gridders rejoice as another Knight bites the dust.

Tod Striker displays his banana eating abilities at the Homecoming pep session.

A cold and windy September 26 set the scene for the 1980 Homecoming. The 1970 football team, who was honored at half-time, watched breathlessly with parents and other fans as Brenda Lambright was crowned Homecoming Queen.

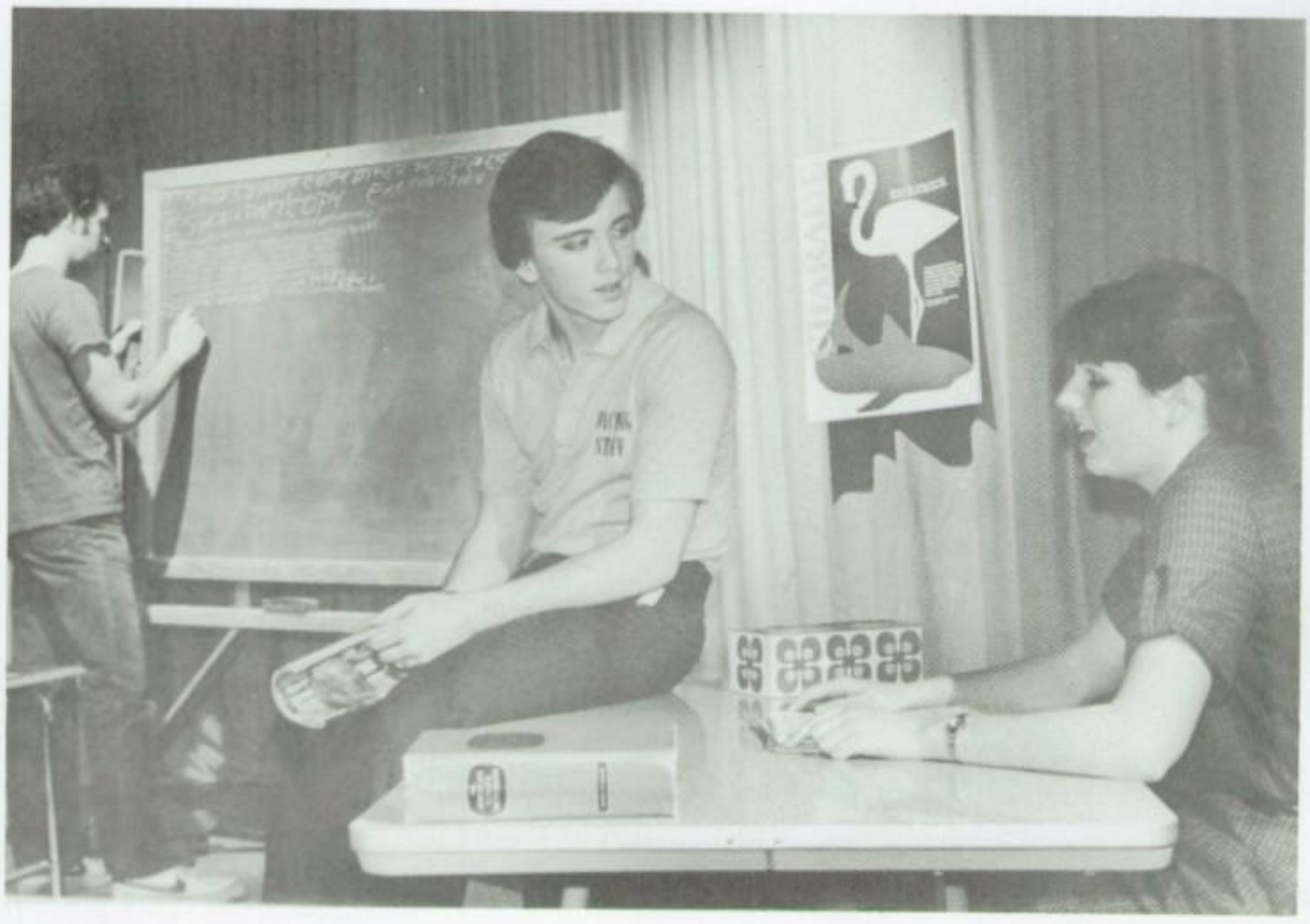
As in previous years a banner contest was held at half time with the class of "82" walking away with first place honors.

The evening was highlighted as the Jets pounded Northeastern for a 56-6 victory.

The night concluded with a dance in the cafeteria sponsored by the Student Council.

"ON WITH THE SHOW"

Coach Hugo (**Bruce Gagle**) exclaims to Miss Brooks (**Cheryl Rich**) how awful travel brochures are as Ted (**Dan Lambert**) concentrates on his writing.



"Pump harder, Stanley (**Jim Isch**)," yells Miss Brooks (**Cheryl Rich**) as the others look on in the production of "Our Miss Brooks."

The Drama Club of the 1980-1981 school year was twenty-members strong. During the year, the club put on two plays. The first one was in conjunction with the Choral Department's Madrigal Dinner. The Drama Club put on the Fourth Act of Shakespeare's "Taming of the Shrew" as entertainment for the diners.

Between the first production and the main production of the year, the Adams Central Drama Department sold seat cushions as a money-making project. The money was used for a new make-up case and other necessities.

For the final production, the Drama Club performed the play "Our Miss Brooks," a comedy in three acts. Miss Brooks was about a high school teacher who was having plenty of problems handling the school play and her own personal feelings.

The **Drama Club** seems to be going in circles over the upcoming drama events. Clockwise: (Top) Rena Reidenbach, Rhonda Kohne, Kelli Gerber, Robin Baumer, Janice Heimann, Kathi Abbott, Cheryl Rich, Patty Braun, Bruce Gagle, Dan Lambert, Ken McCullough, Tonya McCullough, Brenda Lambright, Ronda Byerly, Max Barger, Rhonda Wilder, Sharla Vandeventer, Penny Vanhorn, and Karla Rich.

Kate (**Ronda Byerly**) shows her shrewish side to Petruchio (**Dan Lambert**) in the produciton "The Taming of the Shrew."

Cast Members of "Our Miss Brooks"- Standing: Rene Reidenbach, Dan Lambert, Brenda Lambright, Bruce Gagle, Jed Speakman, Jeff Smitley, Cheryl Rich, Ronda Byerly, Max Barger, Karla Rich, and Kathi Abbott.
Sitting: Tonya McCullough, Robin Baumer, Ronda Wilder, Kelli Gerber, Sharla Vandeventer, Jim Isch, Penny Vanhorn.

Miss Brooks (**Cheryl Rich**) gives instructions to Helen (**Rena Reidenbach**) and Ted (**Dan Lambert**).

With only four weeks to prepare for production, the cast was chosen and rehearsals were begun. The play called for six men and twelve women. The roles were filled by nine seniors, six juniors, and three freshman. Under the direction of Miss Anna Baker and with the help of stage manager Rhonda Kohne, the play appeared before a total of 459 theater enthusiasts on March 6 and 7 on the stage in the high school lecture area.

The 1980-81 Drama Club officers were: President-Max Barger
Vice-Pres.-Rhonda Kohne
Sec./Treas.-Ronda Byerly

Marcie Pritt and her date **Jeff Lengerich** await the beginning of the dance.

Entertainer Doug Caskey serenades **Brenda Lambright.**

Sunshine girls and their guests exchange a warm smile before beginning dinner.

"Harvest Moon" was chosen as the theme by the decorating committee for the annual Sunshine Banquet, held on November 15, 1980.

The night began at 5:00 when Dave Cole Photography took pictures of the Sunshine girls and their dates.

President Elinor Sprunger warmly welcomed everyone. Andy Lehman then expressed his appreciation on behalf of the guys for being invited. Linda Myers offered prayer and Chester Longenberger provided dinner music while a catered meal from Palmer House was served and enjoyed.

Entertainment was provided by Doug Caskey, a bluegrass entertainer, which followed the meal. WKKJ brought the evening to an end by playing music for the dance till 11:00.

Administration and guests enjoy their meal prepared by Palmer House.

"HARVEST MOON" SHINES ON SSS

1980-81 Sunshine Officers: **Miss Anna Baker** (sponsor), **Elinor Sprunger, Mrs. Susann Gilbert** (sponsor), **Becky Liechty, Ann Tonnellier, Linda Myers, Deb Smith.**

As President **Elinor Sprunger** welcomes everyone, **Andy Lehman** awaits to give the response, and **Linda Myers** offers invocation.

Diane Gremaux leads the younger set in activities at the "Little Brother-Little Sister" party.

Rhonda Swygart shares some Sunshine with some County Home Residents.

Sunshine Society

Rhonda Swygart and her sisters thoroughly enjoy the Easter party.

SUNSHINE EXPRESS

New officers installed for 1981-82 were Karen Girod, Mary Ann Donaghy, Linda Myers, Becky Liechty and Sharla Vandeventer.

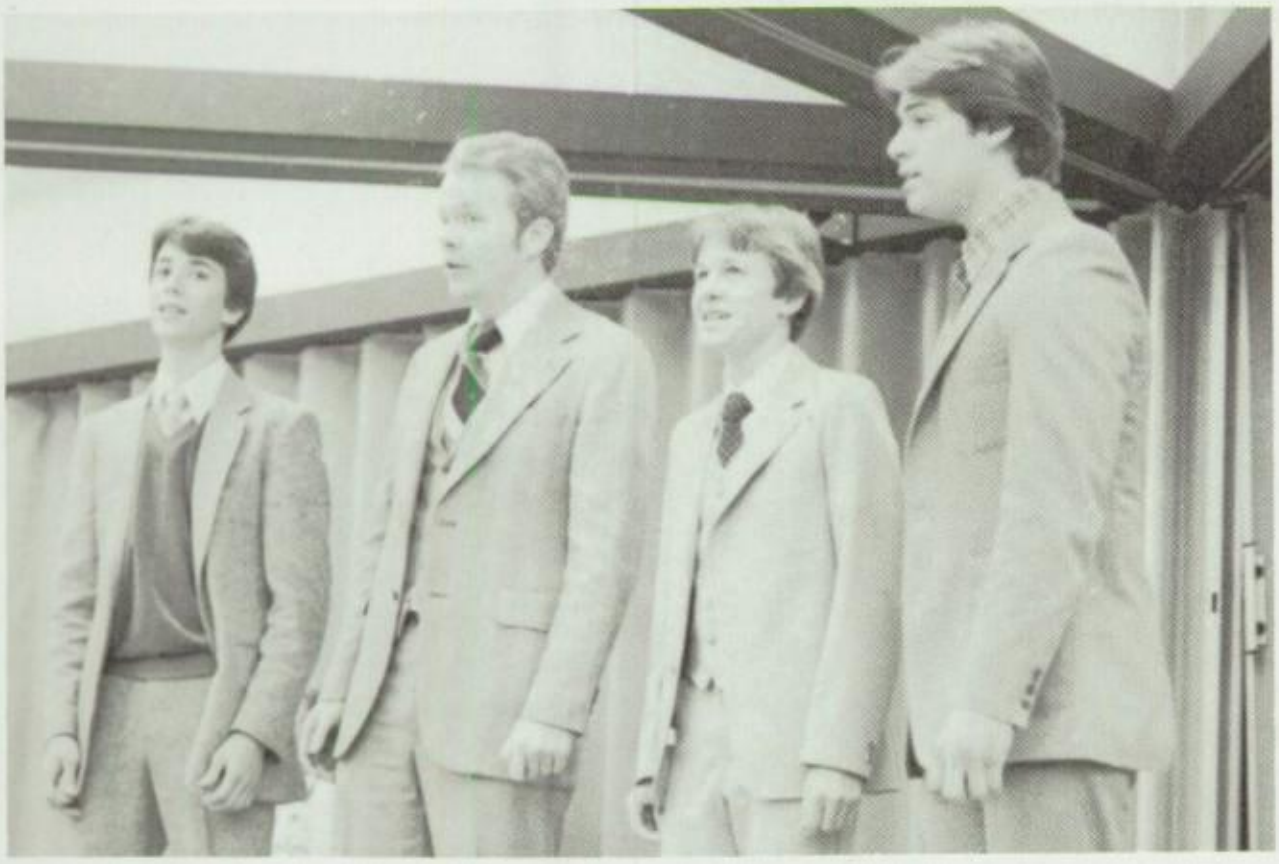
The 1980-81 school year saw the Sunshine Society serving others aboard the Sunshine Express, this year's theme. The year began in June with the officers and sponsors attending Sunshine Leadership Camp.

Major philanthropic projects for the year included visits to the county home, participation in the Mothers March for March of Dimes, sponsorship of two orphans, and contributions to Riley Hospital.

Forty-five new members were initiated into the Society. At the Initiation Ceremony, Mrs. Gilbert and Miss Baker introduced the new concept of Sunshine Circles to the members as all 130 were divided into circles.

Popular events for the year were Daddy Date Nite, and a Valentine's Party for little brothers and sisters. Attendance of District Convention at Fairfield High School by all members was a highlight of the year.

On April 9, 1981, the officers and sponsors left school early to Ft. Branch, Indiana, to attend State Convention where Adams Central received an Honor Chapter Award for the fourth consecutive year. Kathi Abbott was also presented with an $800 Nurse's Scholarship at the afternoon ceremony.



Entertainment was provided by the Boys Quartet at the Ideal Ladies Tea.

Kelli Fox puts her dads name tag on him before Daddy Date Night.

The entire company of "Music Man" end the show with the Wells Fargo Wagon.

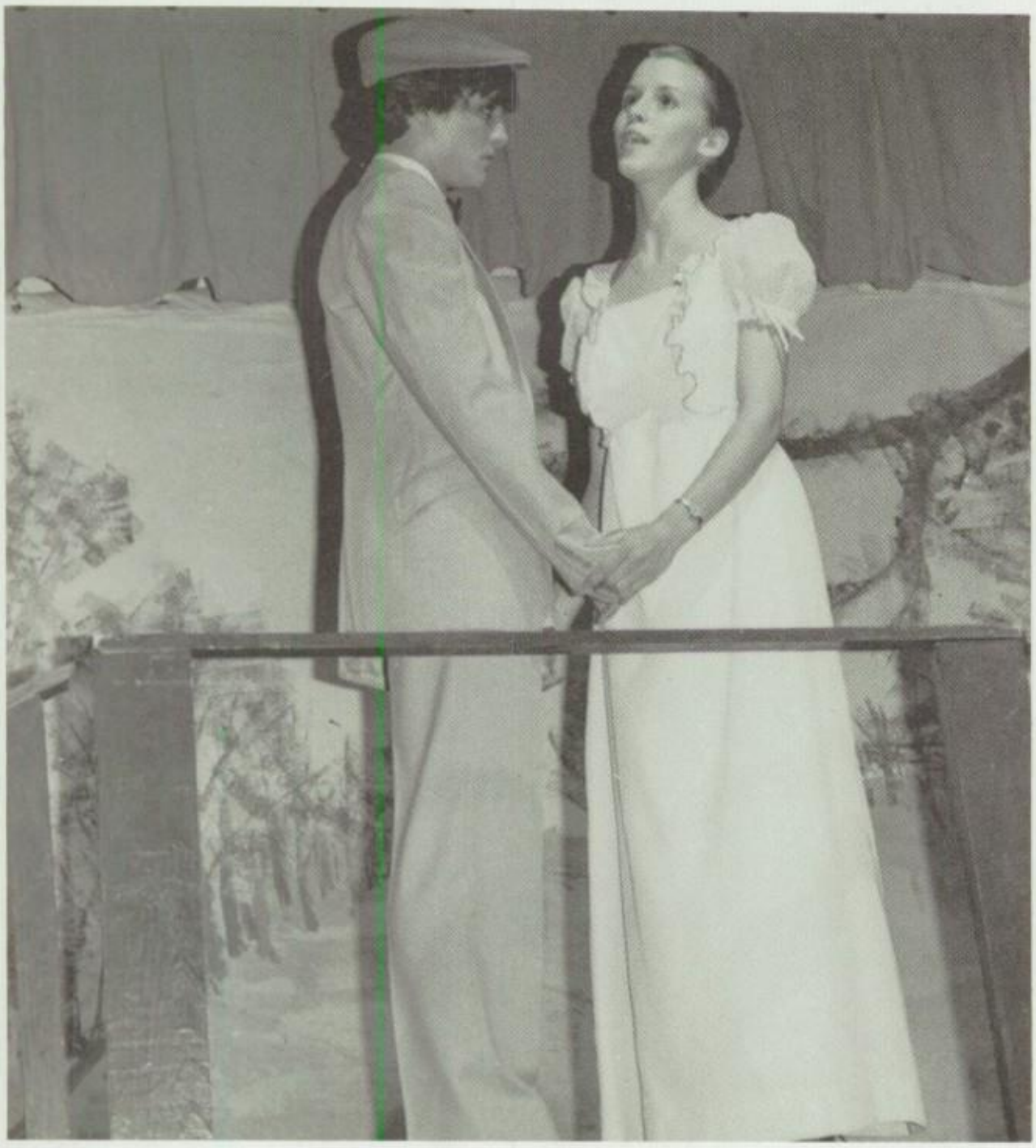
During practice Prof. Harold Hill (**Max Barger**) sells Mrs. Paroo (**Kathi Abbott**) the idea that her son was born to play the coronet, while Marian (**Tanya Baumgartner**) listen skeptically.

"MUSIC MAN" BRINGS SELL OUT CROWDS

"Yes, it's you!!" sings the school board to their lovely wives.

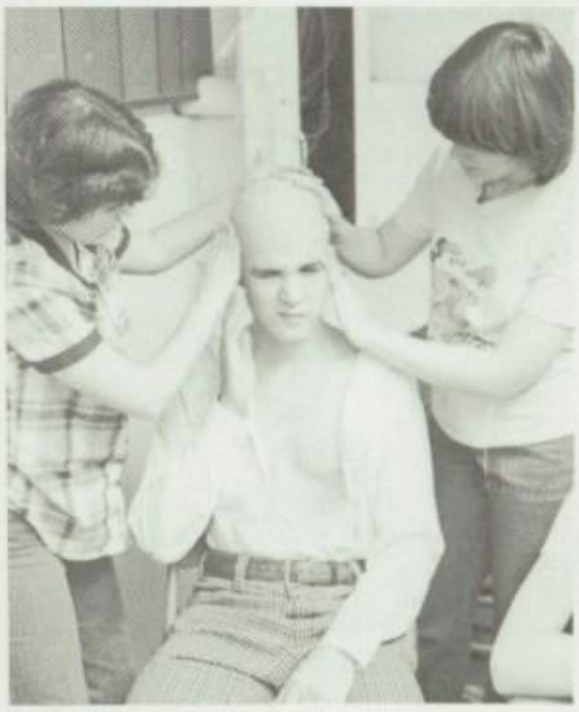
Shapoopi! **Margaret Caudle** and **Jed Speakman** show their stuff.

Karen Girod accompanies the cast during practices as well as during performances.



The Choral Department performed their 3rd annual musical on April 23-25 to a total crowd of some 800 people. This year's musical was called "Music Man." It was about a traveling salesman, Harold Hill (Max Barger), who comes to a small Iowa town to sell musical instruments which he knows absolutely nothing about. Harold brings to the Iowa town trouble, but also brings something special, a kind of hope that makes people want to believe in dreams and promises. One of these people who believed in Harold Hill was Marian, the town's librarian played by Tanya Baumgartner. Marian and Harold fall in love and everything ends up great in the Iowa town.

The cast, orchestra, backstage helpers, and everyone who helped put on the musical did a great job. Each performance was given to sell out crowds who thoroughly enjoyed the entire production.



Lynne Waltmire and **Kathi Abbott** create Charlie Cowell out of **Scott Smith.**

"There was love all around . . ." Marian (**Tanya Baumgartner**) sings to Harold (**Max Barger**).

Swing Choir

The Choir Department, under the direction of Neil Potter, had a very busy year. It all started out with 67 students singing at the annual Christmas Concert. The Choir also had two Gong Shows, one at Christmas, and the other was held on the senior's last day.

The Madrigal held its third annual Madrigal Feast on December 22. The King was portrayed by Jed Speakman and the Queen was played by Cindy Gerber. An audience of over 200 proved that it was a great success.

The Swing Choir was a young but strong group. They were busy the year long. They sang at banquets, churches and various contests. The Swing Choir ended the year with the annual party at Neil Potters'.

The Girls' Sextet and Boys' Quartet joined with the Swing Choir to perform many selections.

There were several groups that attended State Contest. The groups were the Madgrigal, Sextet, Mixed Quartet, and a solo by Max Barger.

In March the Choir started to prepared for the musical, "MUSIC MAN." It was a very busy time of the year, but it was worthwhile, it was shown with a sell-out crowd three nights in a row.

Even though it was a busy year the members found new friends and gained a lot of experience.

Boys' Quartet

Madrigal Cast

CHOIR SEASON PROVES BUSY

High School Choir

Girls' Sextet

During the annual Gong Show **Terry Fawcett** learns how to shave the hard way with the help from **Nat Bryan's** hands.

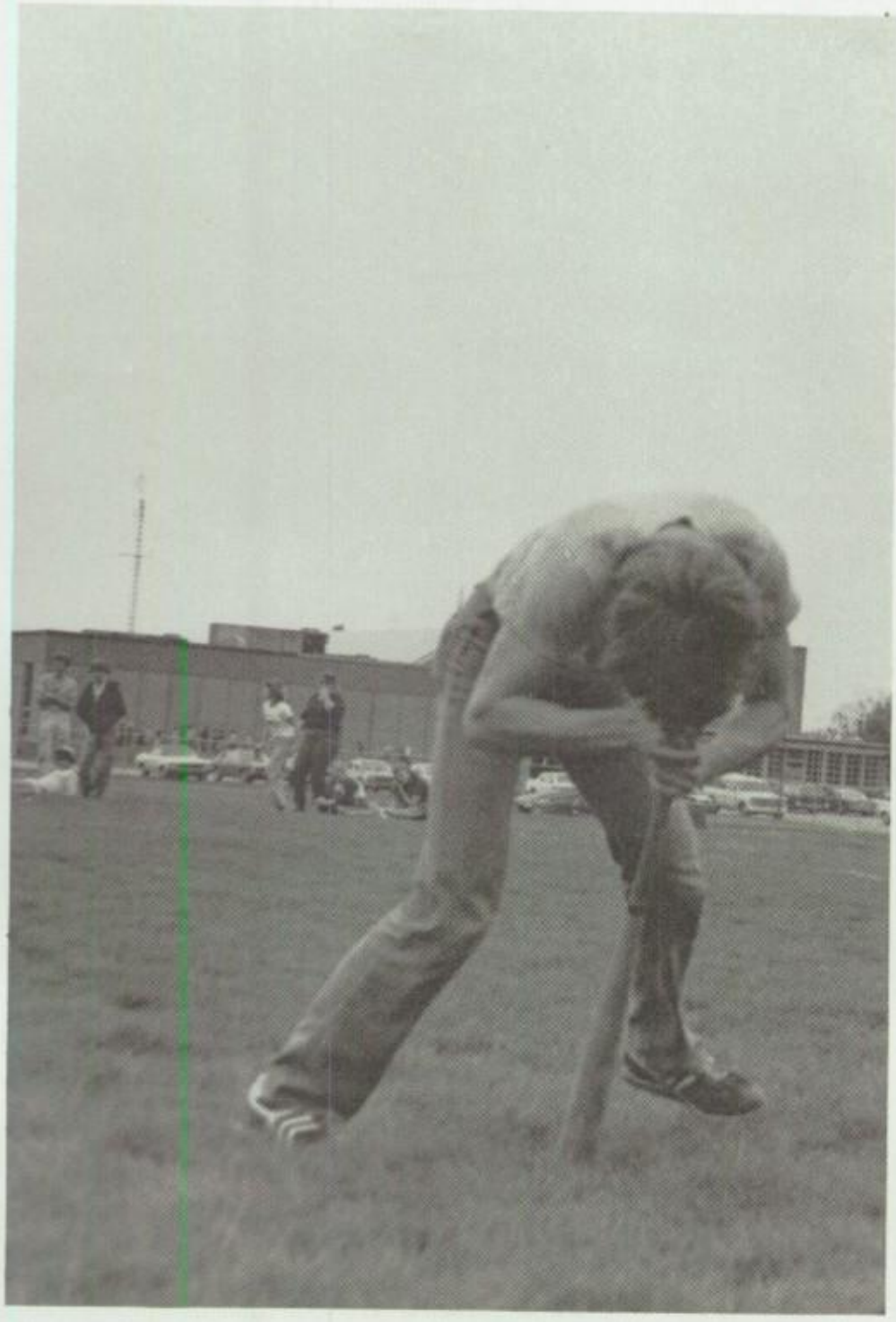
The Madrigal cast practices early to get ready for the feast.

Seniors try to keep steady as **Jodi Holtsberry** nears the top.

During the sack race **Amy Fellers** gets one hop closer to the finish line.

The Coke chugging contest turns out to be Schaadt vs. Schaadt.

PLAYDAY FILLED WITH FUN



To get away from the regular daily school routine, high school students were dismissed at 1:00 for playday. They made their way out to the football field to enjoy an afternoon filled with excitement. The students that were participants and spectators enjoyed both victory and defeat.

This year's events included the centipede race, pyramid build, coke chug, bat race, sack race, tug-of-war, and many more.

Another participant gets dizzy in the bat race.

Senior girls decide to sit out and watch the next event.

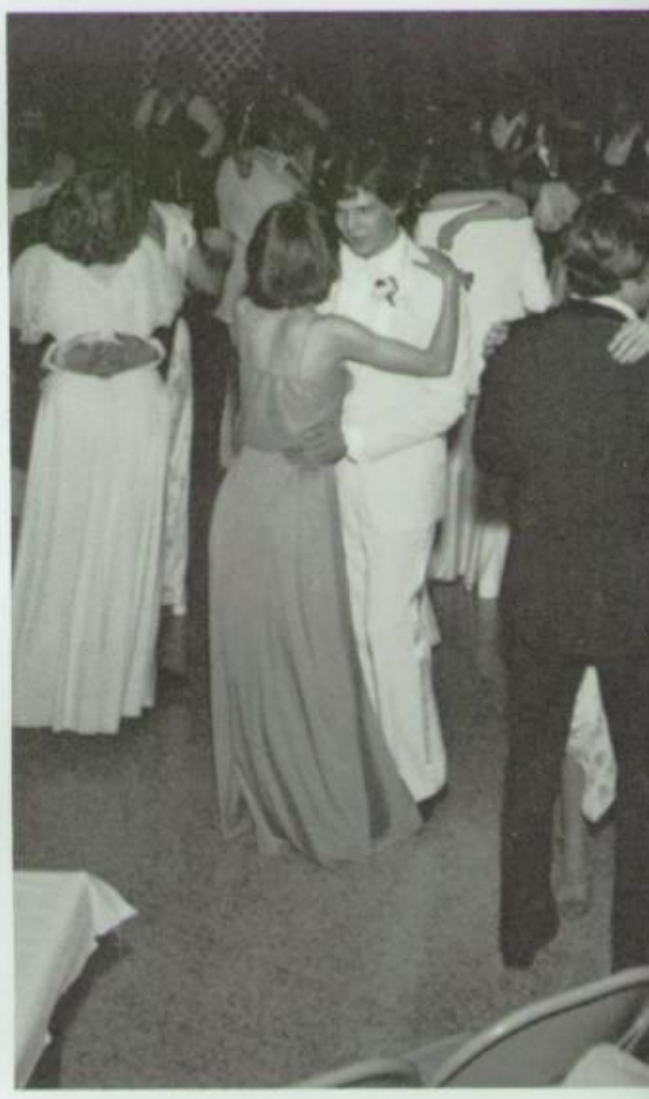
Centipeders start to find their way across the field to the finish line.

"MOONLIGHT AND ROSES"

Prom King and Queen: **Mike Gremaux** and **Kathy Wyss.**

Sponsor Mr. Glass and **Pat Morrissey** compare prom dates.

Andy Lehman and **Sherri Creque** are obviously having a good time.



The crowd enjoys slow dancing to John Stiers & Company.

AT THE SCOTTISH RITE

The candidates for the Prom Court pose after the coronation.

The prom was held this year, as last year, at the elaborate Scottish Rite Auditorium. The juniors decorated the ballroom in accordance with the theme "Moonlight and Roses."

Brad Affolder began taking pictures at 6:00. Everyone then moved to the tables for a well-rounded meal. The crowning of the King and Queen took place afterwards, with Mike Gremaux and Kathy Wyss receiving honors. John Stier and Company provided music for a three-and-a-half hour dance.

Everyone moved on to Southtown mall at 12:30 to watch the movie "Ice Castles," and then to Villa Lanes for bowling to complete the evening.

The sophomores anxiously wait to serve any thirsty prom-goer.

Kathy Wyss registers surprise as she is crowned queen.

COMP STUDENTS ENJOY

Students congregate for instructions before getting set loose.

On May 15 students piled into cars and made their way to Franke Park. They all arrived around 11:30. Miss Anna Baker had already been there long enough to get the fire going for hamburgers and hot dogs. They each brought their favorite dish and began eating. They played on the playground equipment, threw frisbees, and talked with their friends.

They then walked over to the zoo and looked at seals, goats, monkeys, birds, giraffes, and many other types of animals. They each had a chance to feed the animals, go on a train ride, ride horses and tour the African Veldt. When they got back they ate some more and said their final good-byes.

By 3:00 they loaded back into their cars and went home. It was a day full of fun and excitement for each student.

Daring Comp students make their way through the African Veldt.

After a full day of excitement, students gather by car loads and get ready to leave.

PICNIC AT FRANKE PARK

Jed Speakman lends a hand in feeding the goats their afternoon meal.

The "Senior Swingers" of Comp class practice coordination exercises.

Rhonda Kohne points out the different attractions to her friends.

Students fail to get the seals to respond to their actions.

Comp students find time to use the playground before eating.

SCHOOL ENDS-LIFE BEGINS

As the High School Band played "Pomp and Circumstance" proud parents, relatives and friends watched 115 seniors walk down the aisle to their seats. Barry Humble gave the Invocation and a few words of advice. Then the High School Band played "Overture In A Classical Style," under the direction of Bill Cole.

Valedictorian Scott Taylor stood behind the podium and spoke of the good times of our past and the possibilities that the future may hold.

Pat Mitchel gave eight students a scholarship of $400 from the Adams Central Scholarship Foundation. The winners were: Brenda Lambright, Paula White, Michelle Coalson, Kathi Abbott, Karla Rich, Scott Taylor, Andy Lehman, and Dan Lambert. They were glad to receive this scholarship because it will help them in the future.

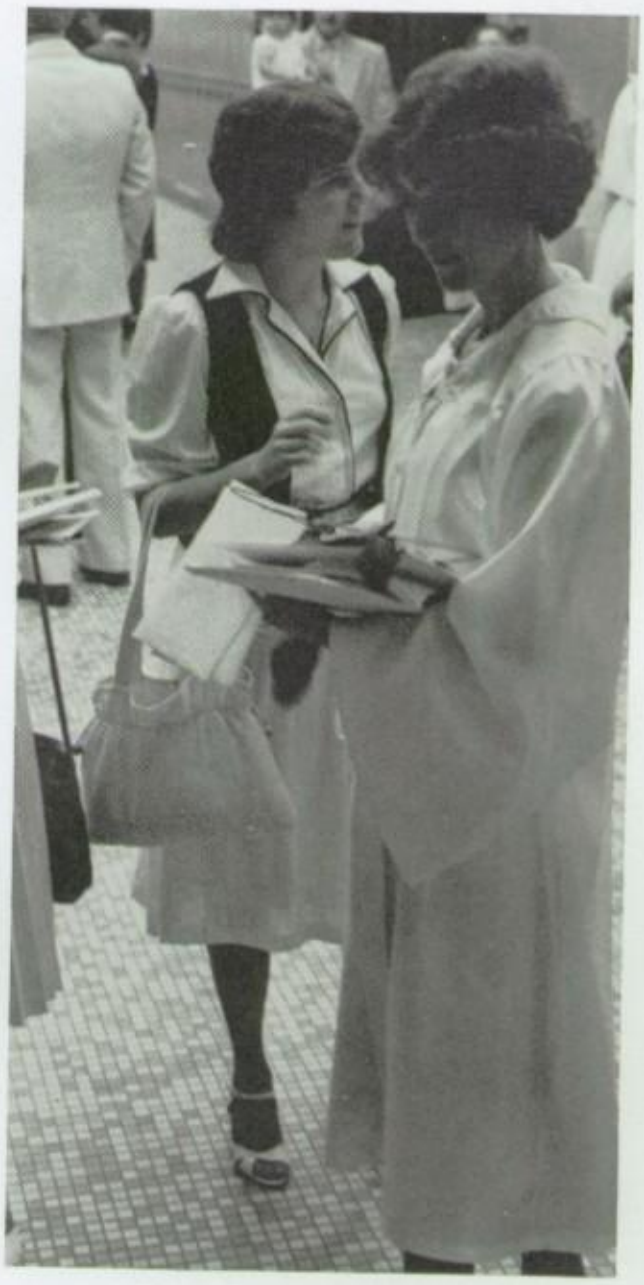
A trombone solo was played by Bruce Gagle which he dedicated to the class of '81.

The time finally arrived for the class to receive their diplomas. They were handed out by Superintendent Doyle Lehman with the help of the two senior sponsors, Susan McKenzie and Paula Youse. After receiving their diplomas, Mr. Lehman told the class to move their tassels from right to left as they became alumni of Adams Central.

The Girls Senior Ensemble sang "Halls of Central" to their classmates. When the girls were done, Barry Humble gave the Benediction and wished all the graduates the best of luck.

Superintendent **Doyle Lehman** congratulates **Deb Smith** upon receiving her diploma.

Stan Bebout waits patiently to begin the ceremony while other seniors discuss their after graduation plans.



Margaret Caudle checks once more to make sure her diploma is signed.

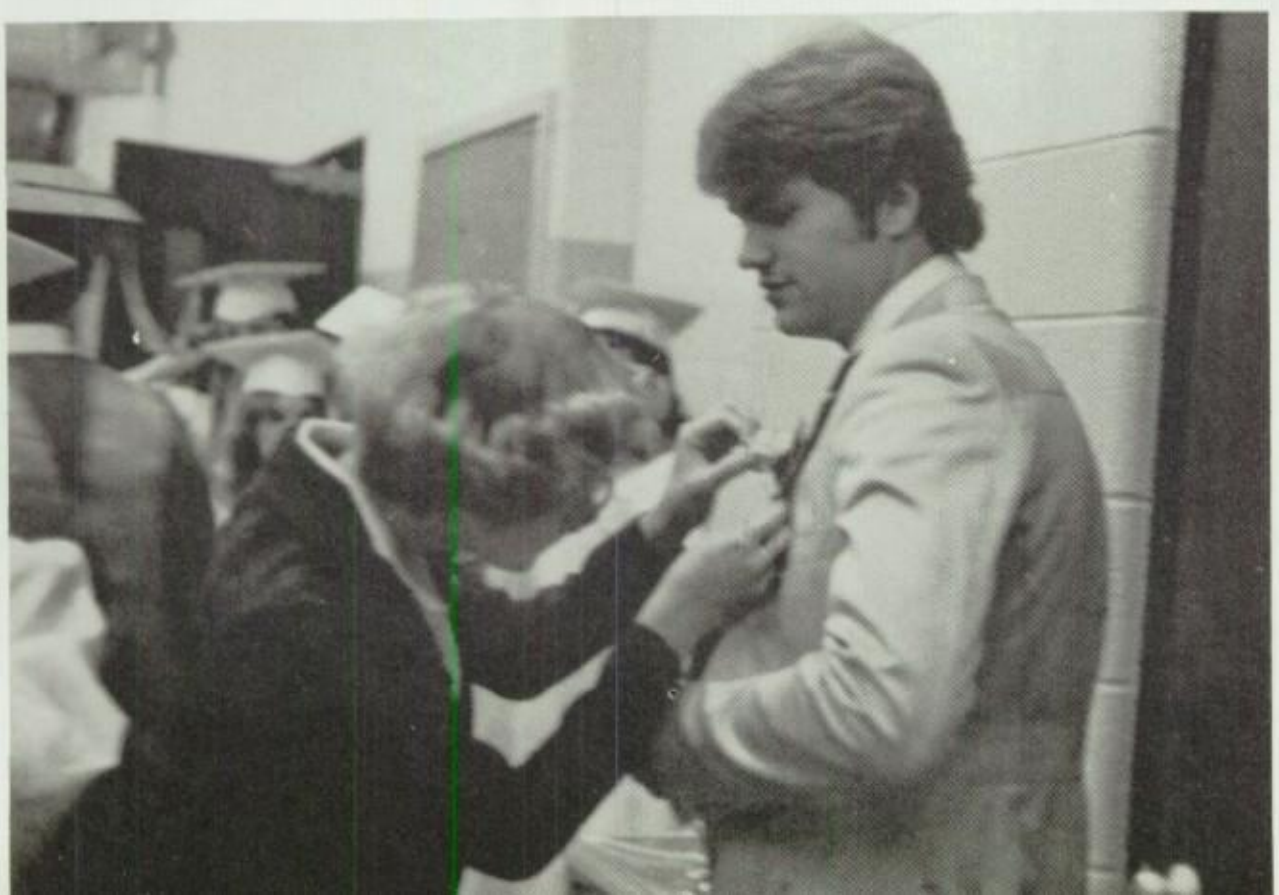
AS 115 SENIORS GRADUATE

The girls ensemble sings "Halls of Central" to fellow classmates.

Bruce Gagle prepares to play a medley of songs.

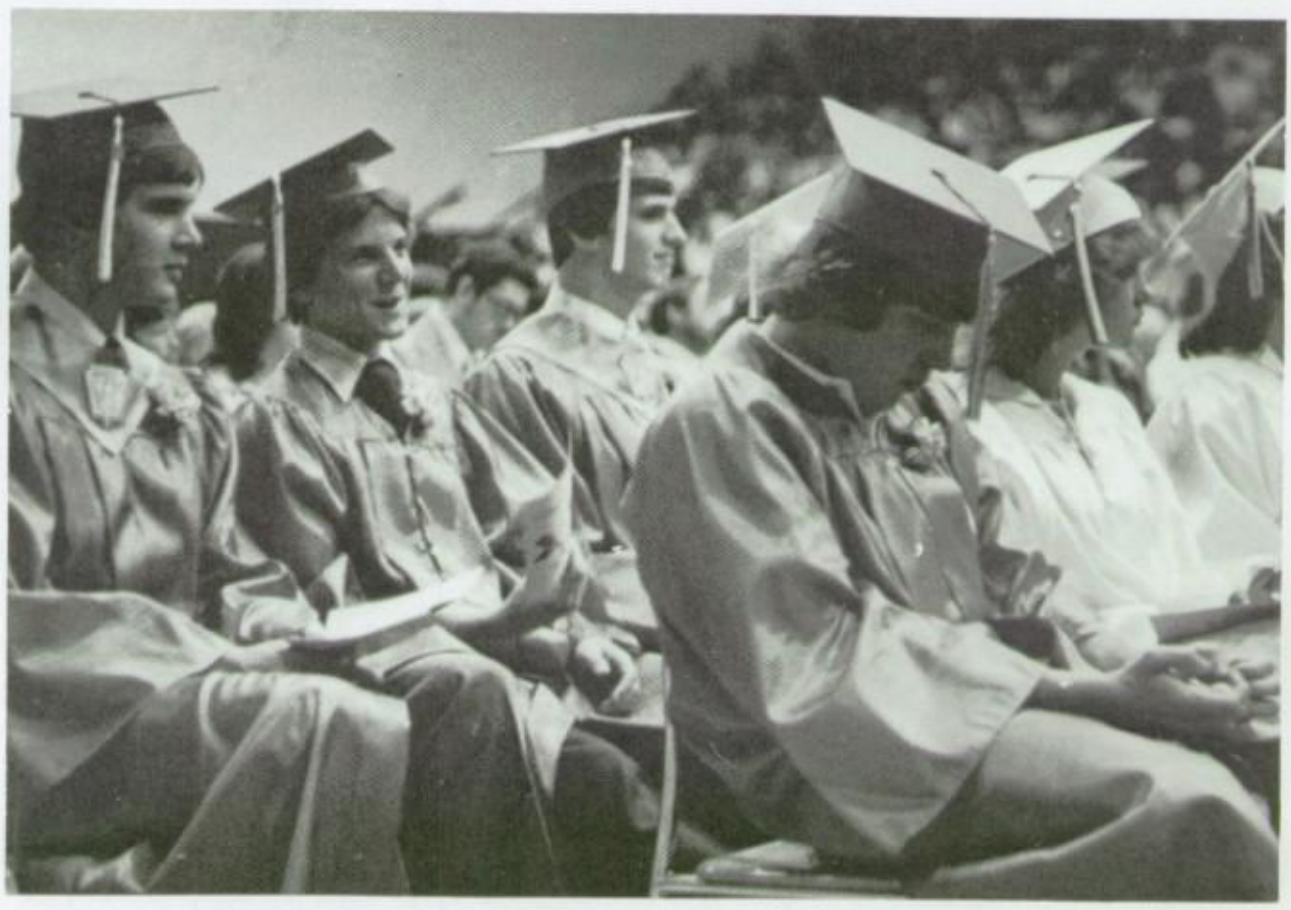
Margaret Caudle helps **Kelli Fox** put on her gown.

Junior class officers **Linda Myers** and **Greg Kaehr** make last minute preparations before leading in the Class of 81.

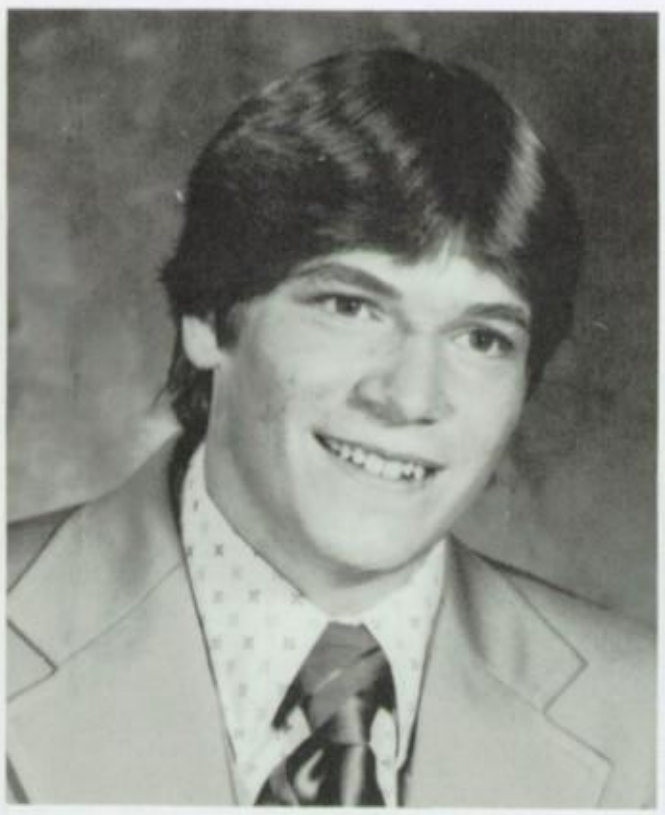


Mr. Humble leads the Seniors and their guests in the Invocation.

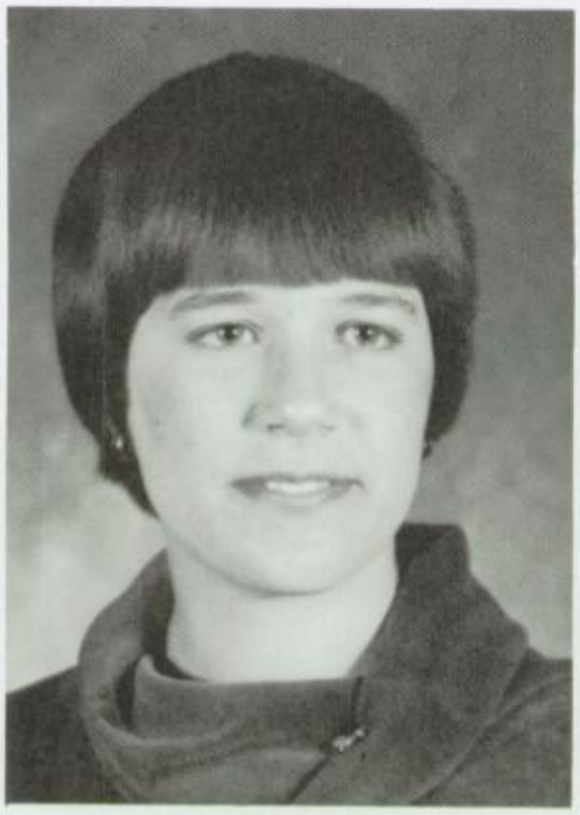
Cindy Hartman and **Nathan Gerber** make their way up to the stage to receive their diplomas.



Seniors show various emotions while Scott Taylor challenges them.



Valedictorian Scott Taylor

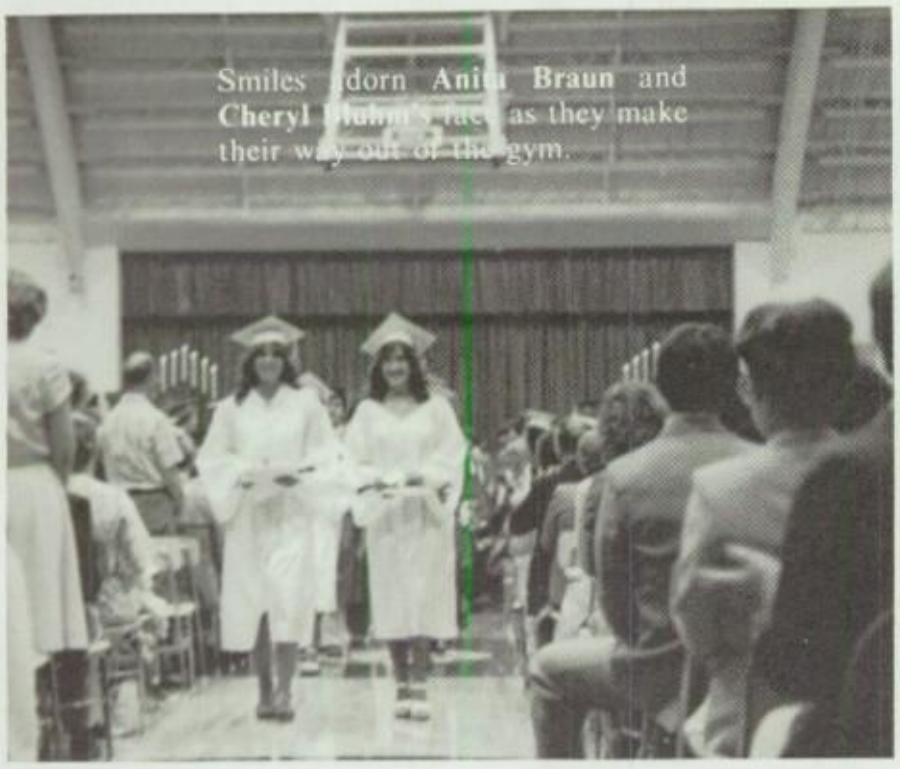


Salutatorian Kathi Abbott

Seniors anxiously await the moving of their tassels to complete graduation ceremonies.

The Senior Class becomes alumni as they move their tassels from right to left.

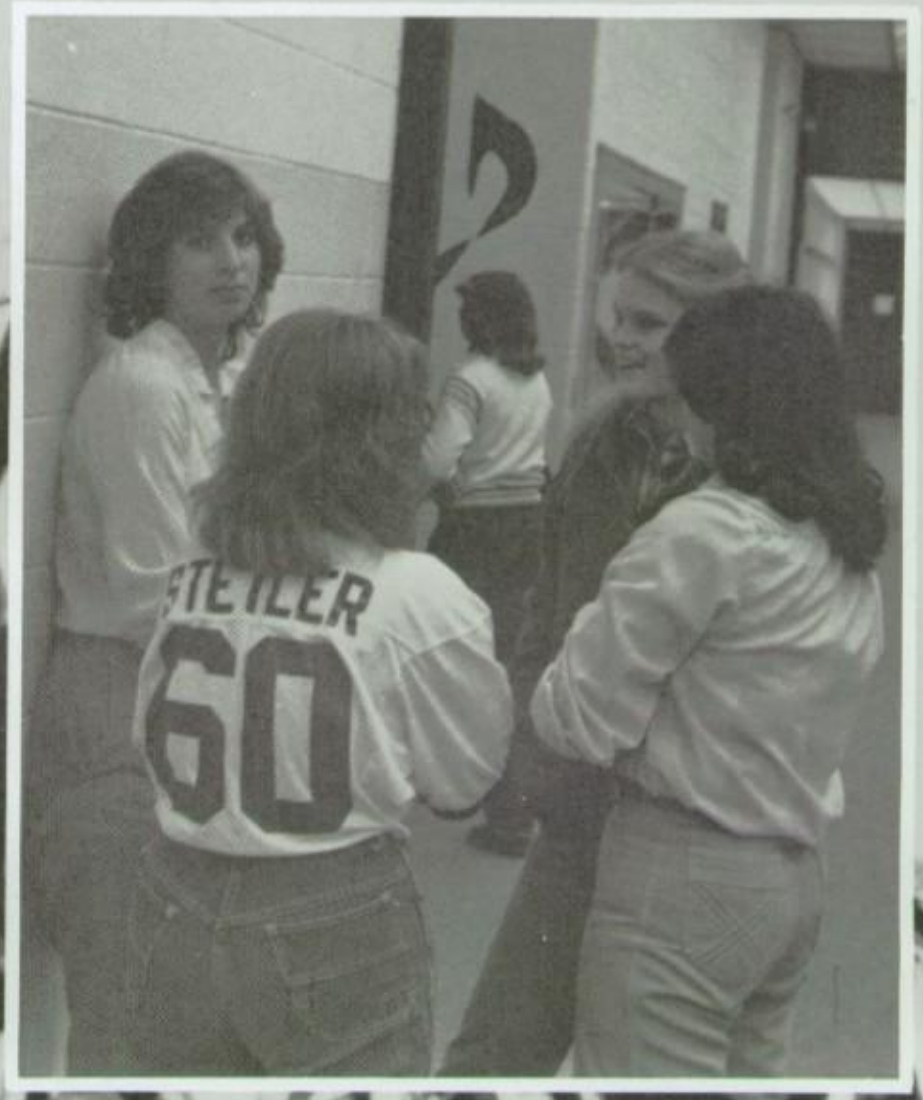
The final couple, **Lynne Waltmire** and **Dan Weber,** make their way to their seats so the exercise can begin.



Smiles adorn **Anita Braun** and **Cheryl Blahm's** face as they make their way out of the gym.

Tod Striker receives his diploma and a kiss from his mother.

OUR STUDENTS LITTLE BIT



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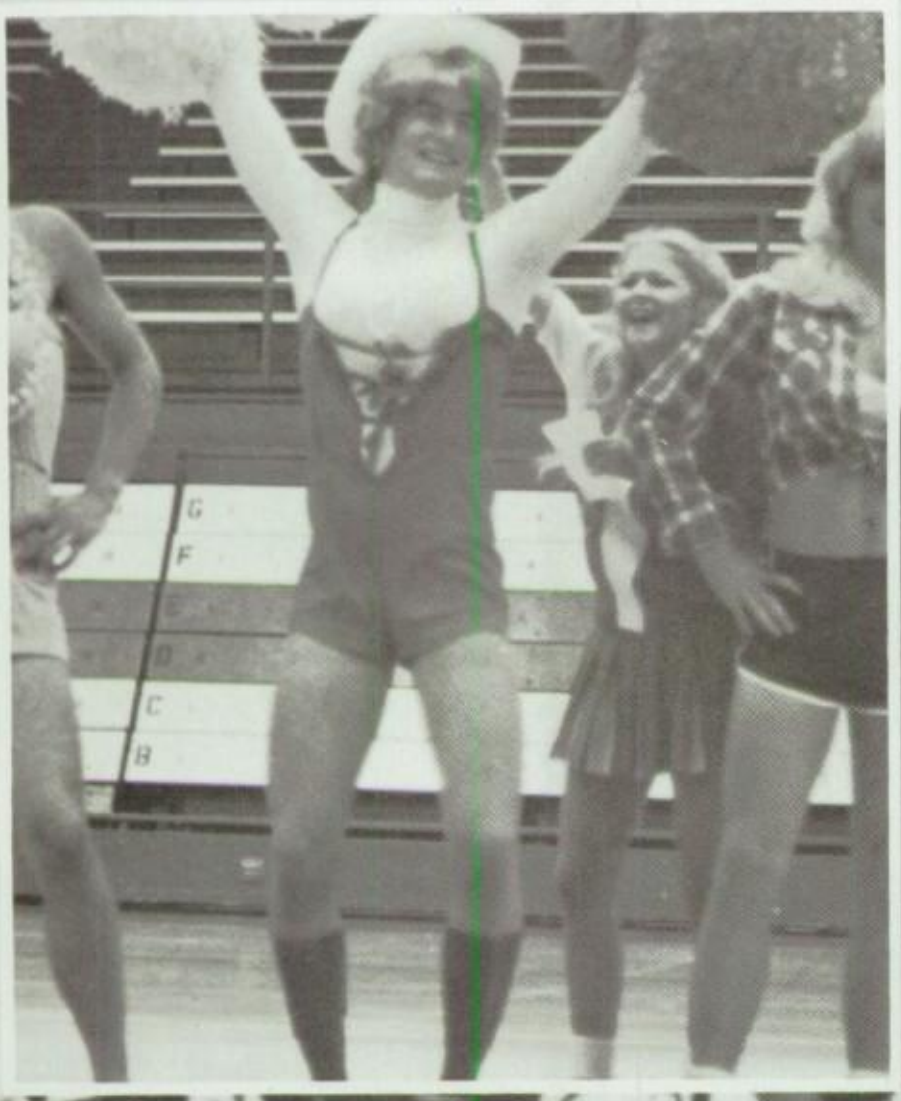
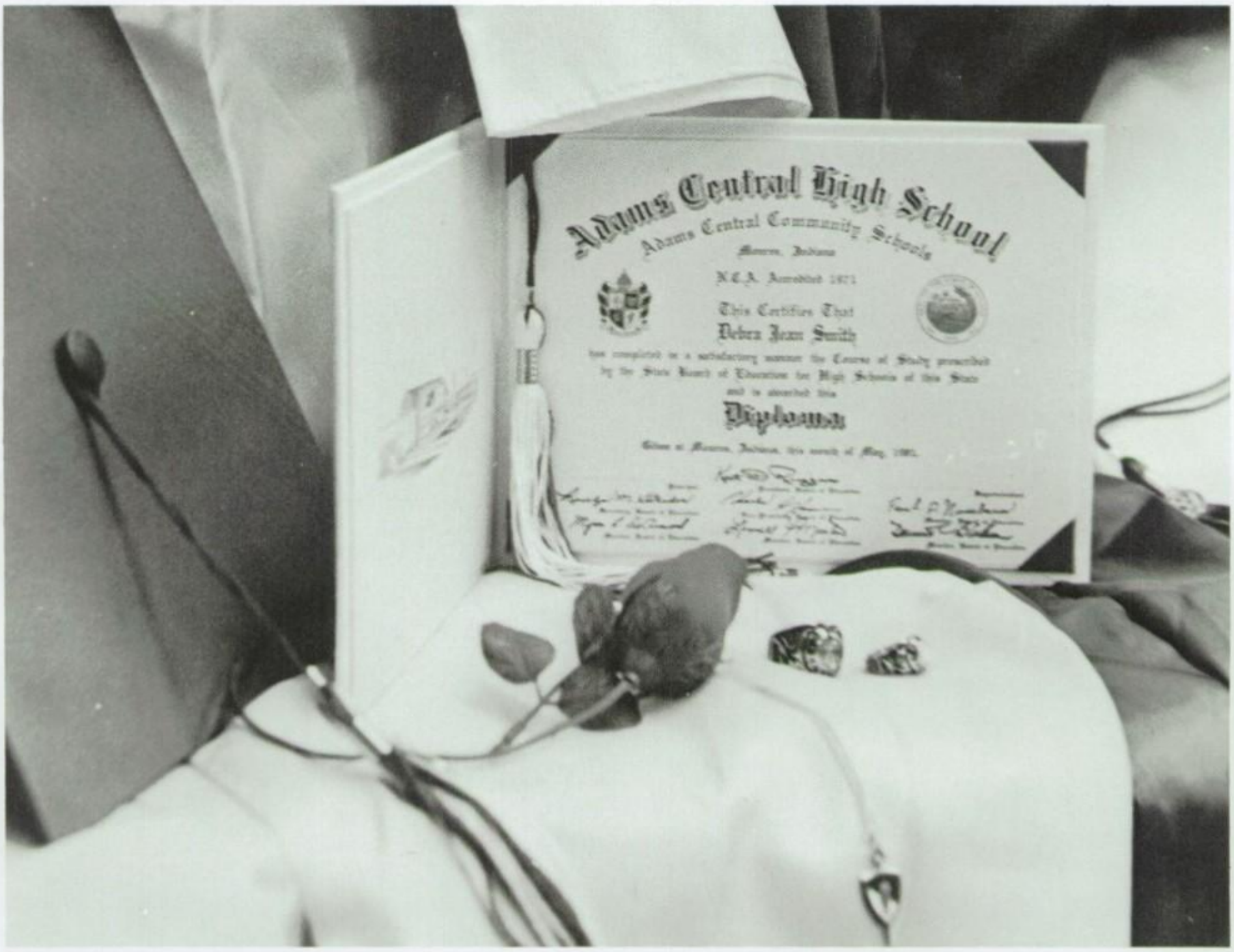


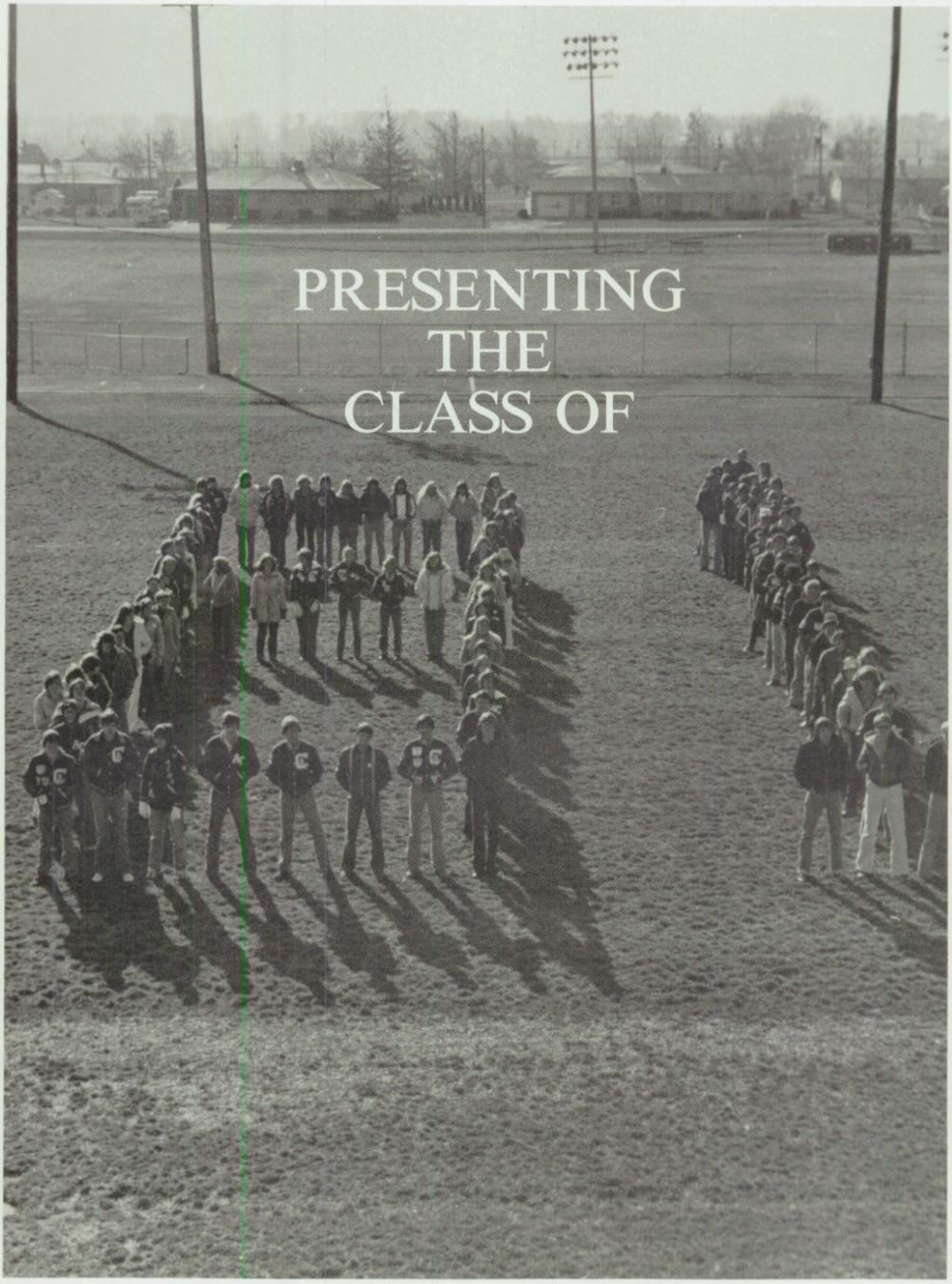
SENIORS REMINISCE OF PAST YEARS . . . LOOK FORWARD TO THE FUTURE

For the Class of "81" many special years will always be remembered. There were times when we probably thought we would never reach our Senior year. But with our trips to the zoo, the Shrine Circus, Cedar Point, and many roller skating parties, we were able to make our struggles more enjoyable.

Looking back, the last four years seem to be filled with valuable memories. Our first day of high school was one of the most frightening days of our lives; and we realized that even initiation played an important part in our being accepted. As Sophomores, we looked forward to our first Sunshine Banquet, our driver's license, and our class rings. Being Juniors brought record-breaking magazines sales and our first all-night Prom, which required countless hours of preparation. As we entered our last year, we began counting down Senior days. We began to order announcements, caps and gowns, and thank-you cards. We signed our last yearbooks, shirts, and memory books. The last Senior days were spent together attending the Senior breakfast, graduation practice, and the Senior picnic.

May 17 finally arrived. We took our final walk through the halls of Central, up the aisle, across the stage, received our diplomas, and said our last goodbyes, as we realized we would no longer function together as a class. But no matter what happens from this day on, there will always be a **LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY** in the Class of "81."

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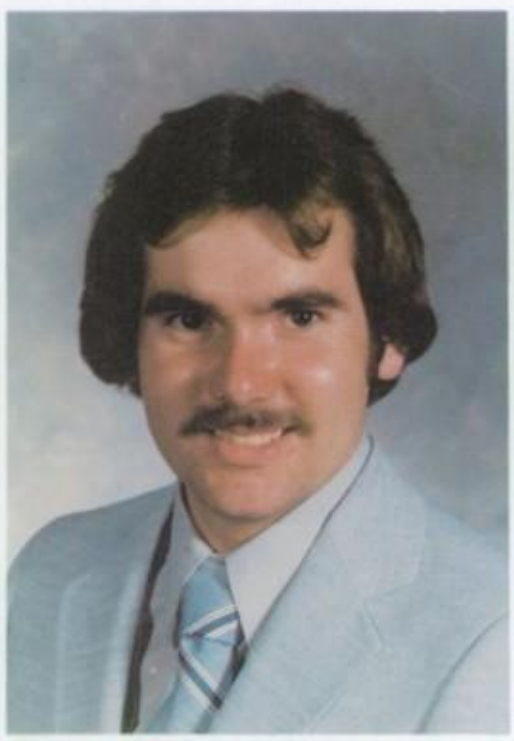

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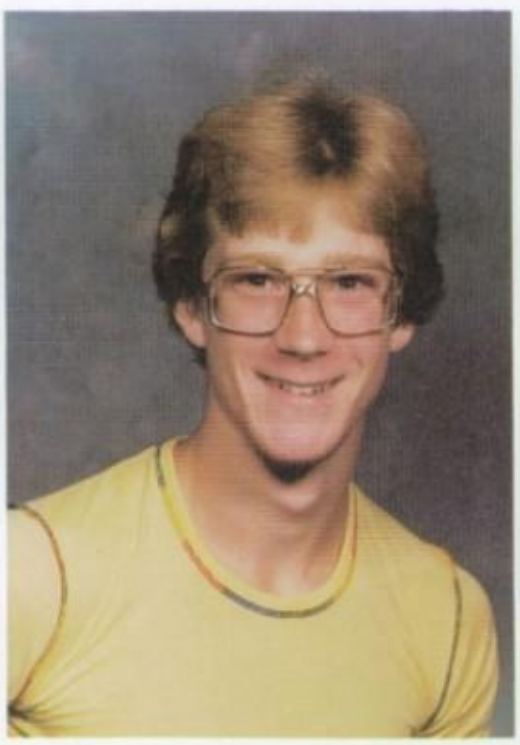

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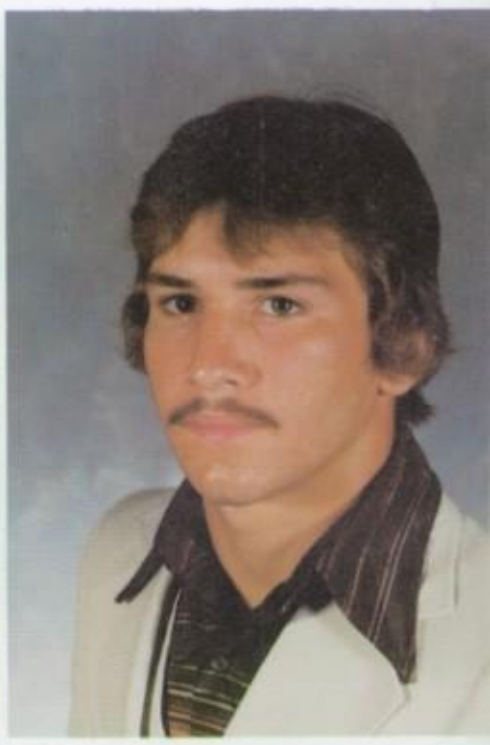

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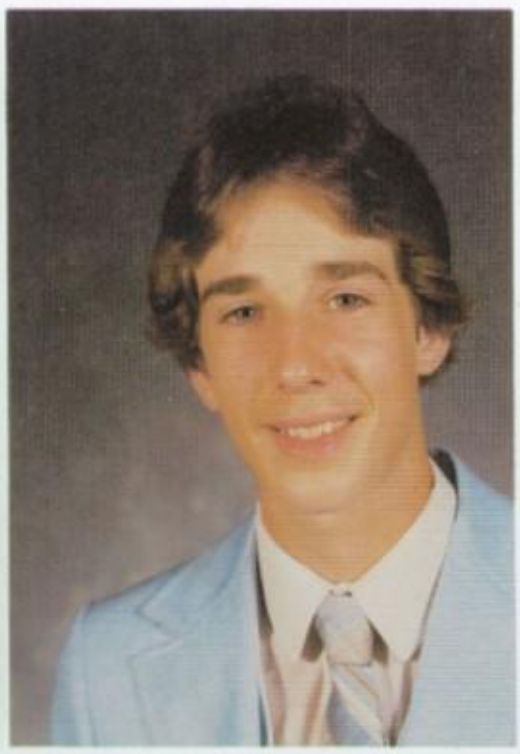
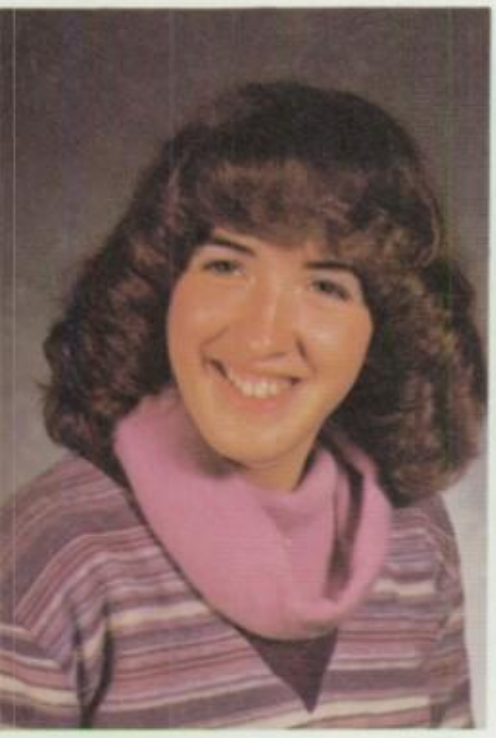


Stanley K. Bebout

Larry Colwell touches up his art project.



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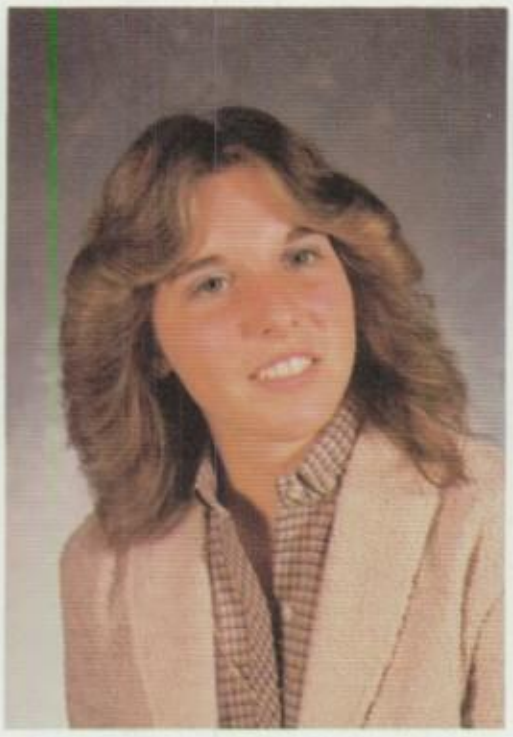

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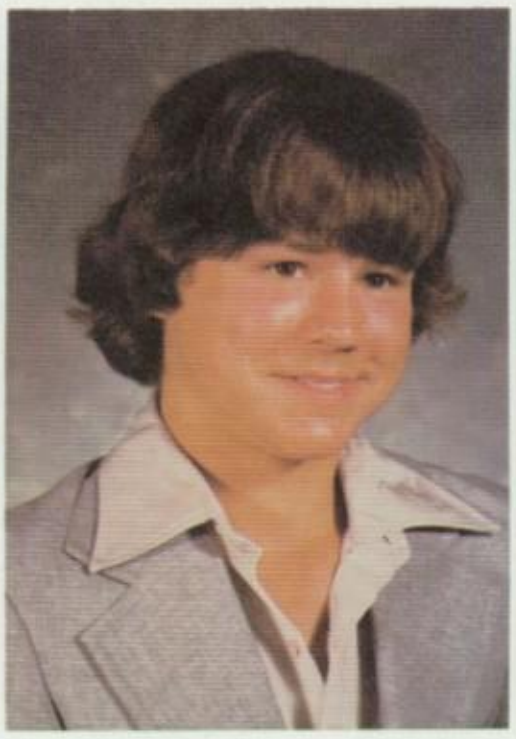

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Nancy J. Braun

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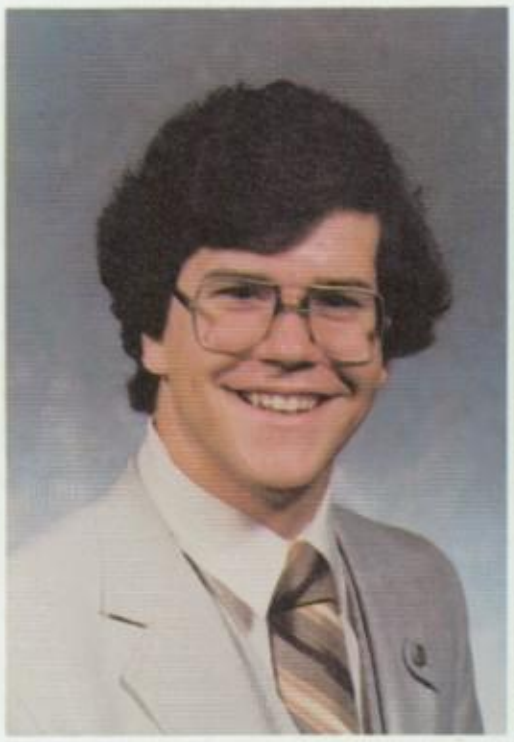

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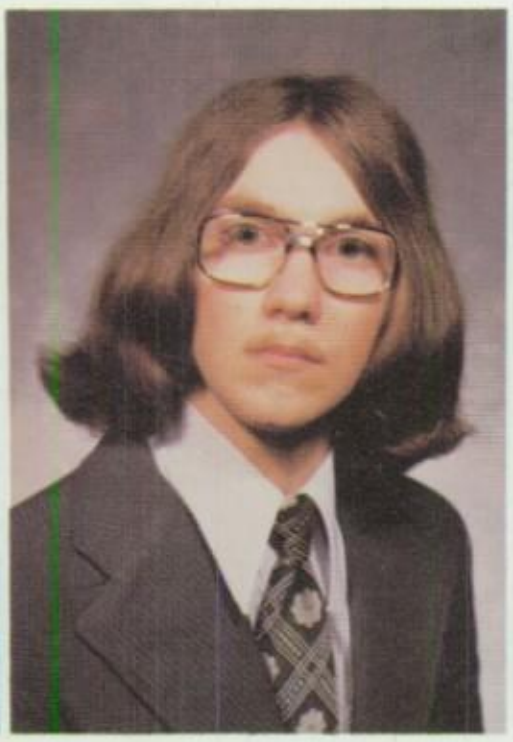

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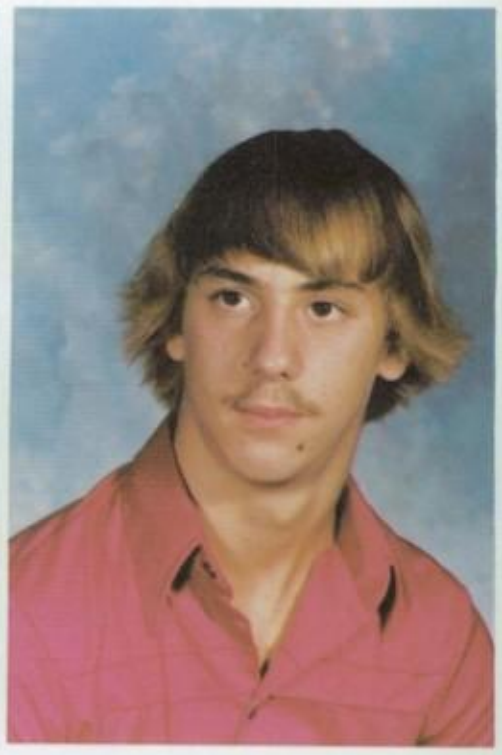

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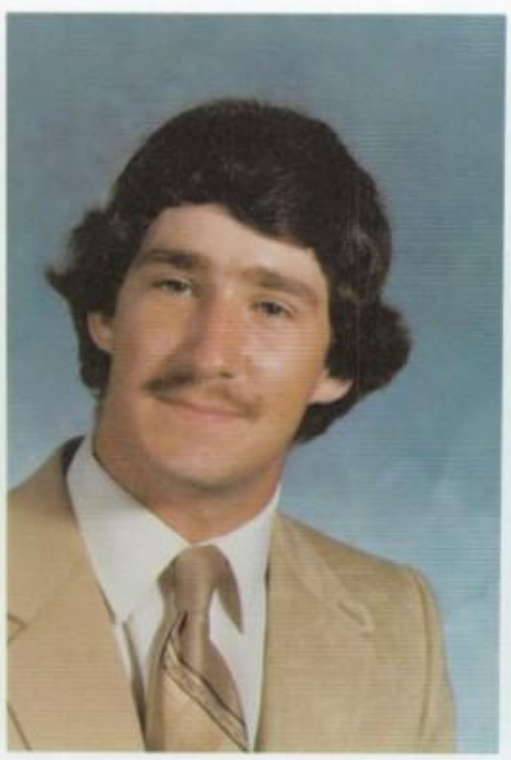

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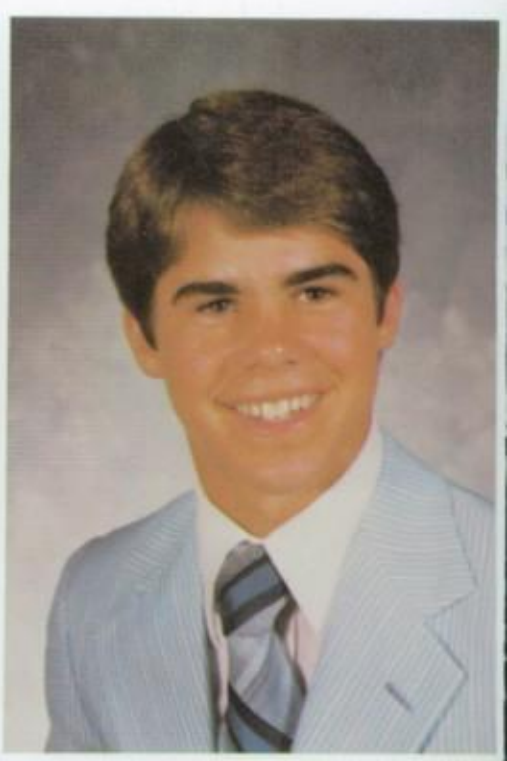
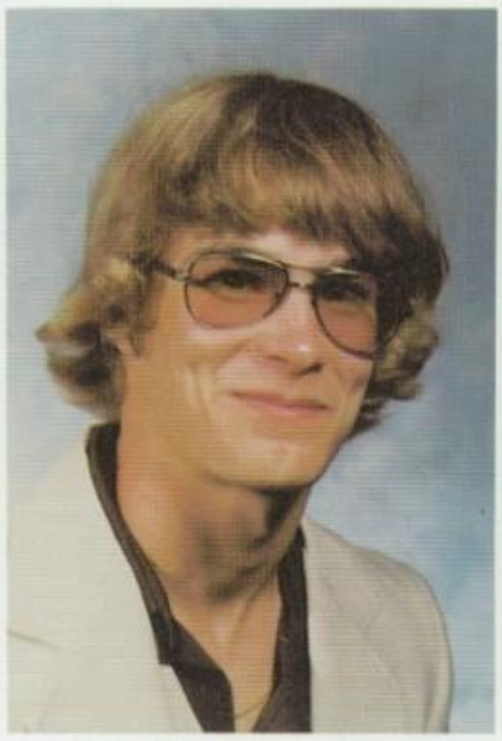


Lynn C. Fiechter

Senior wrestlers are recognized.



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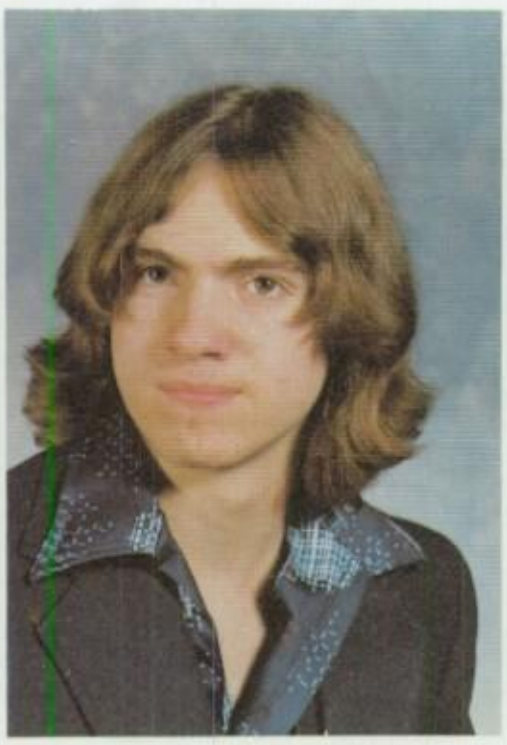

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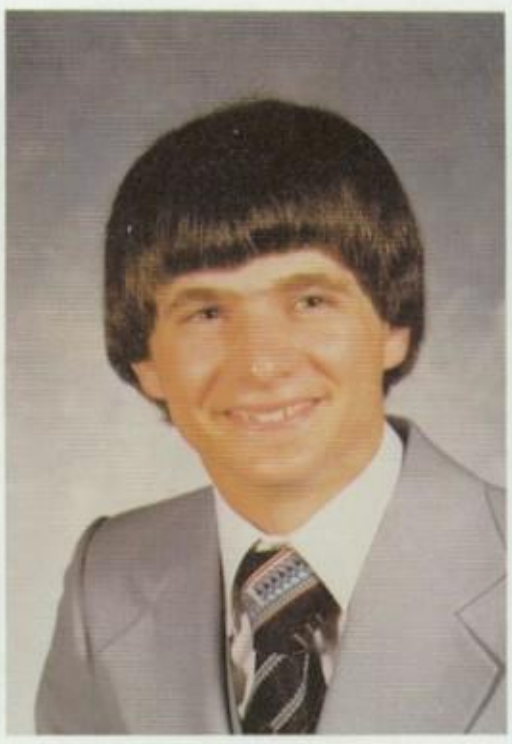

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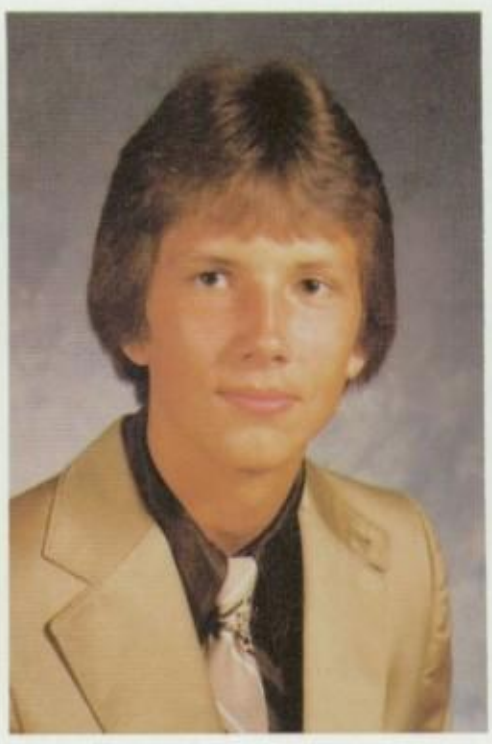

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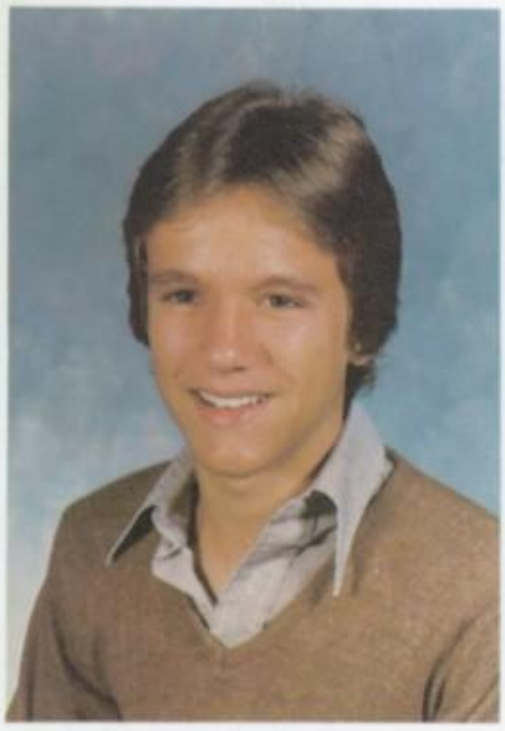

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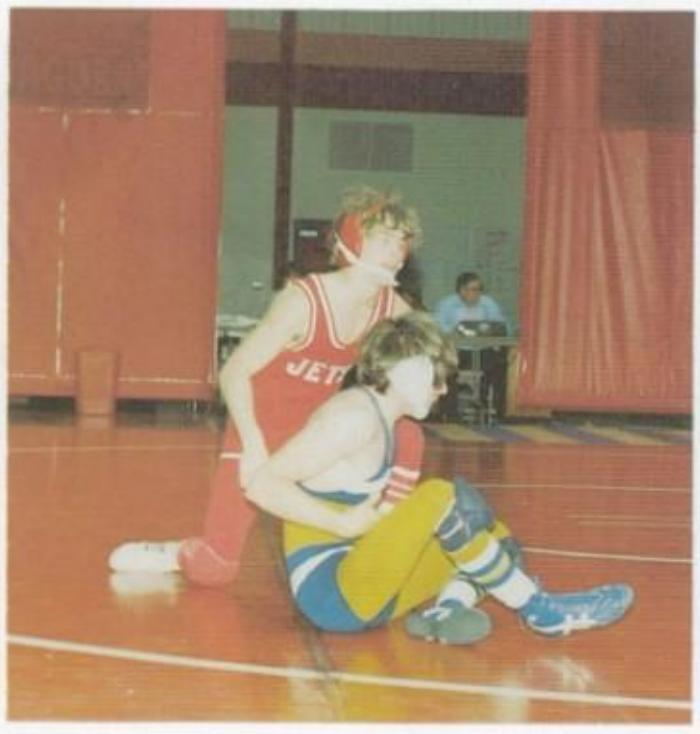

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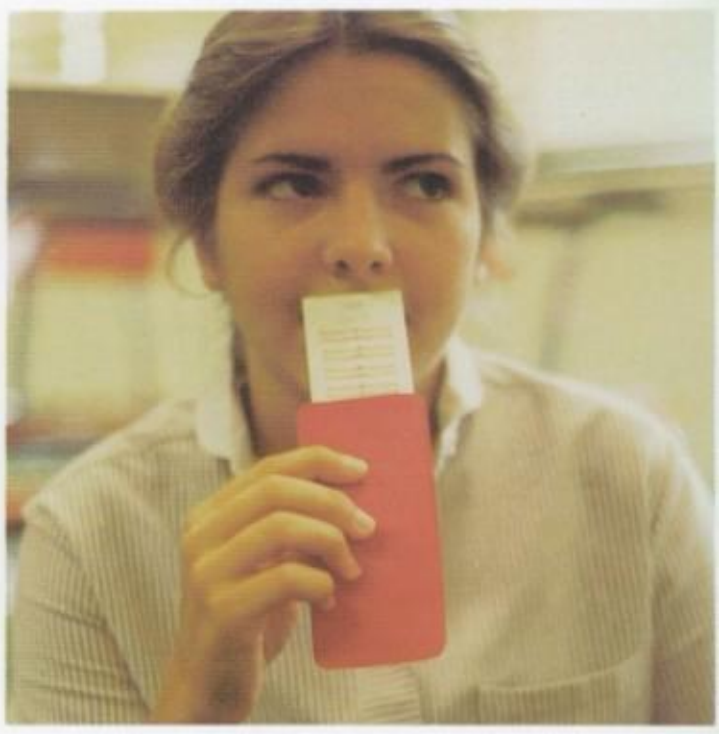

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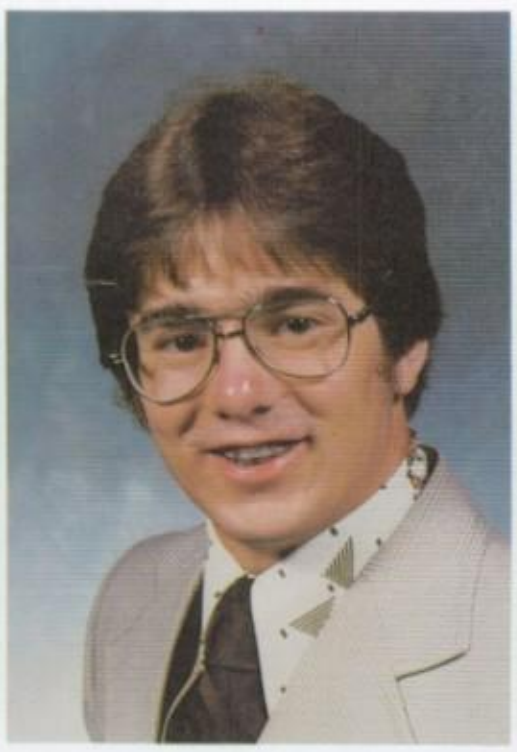

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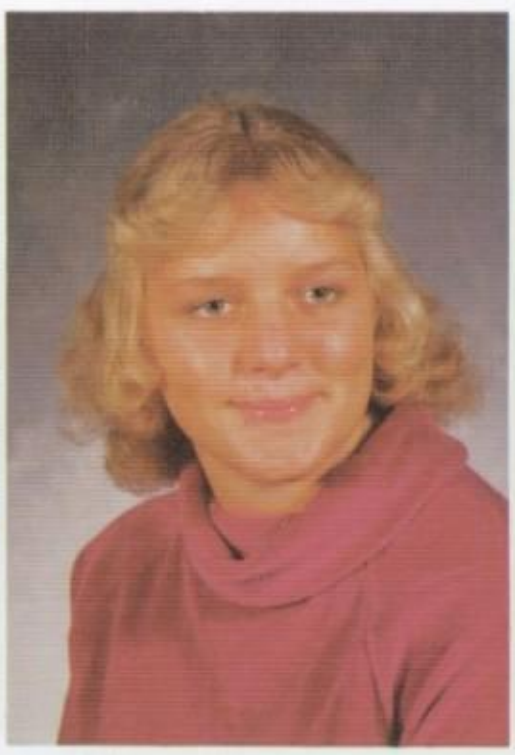

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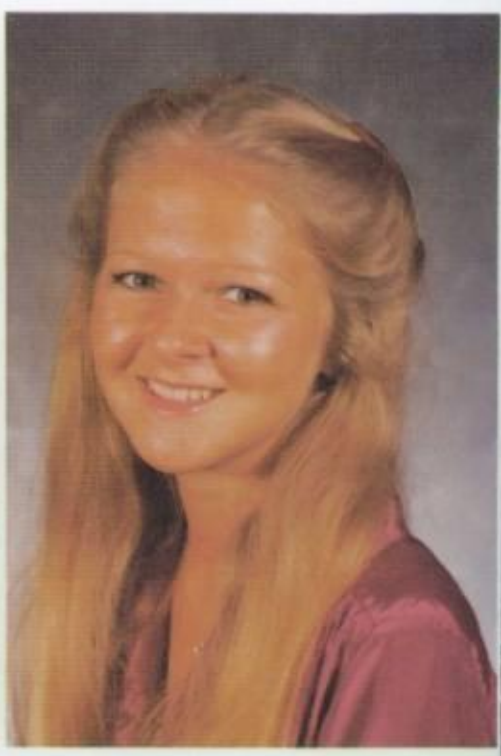

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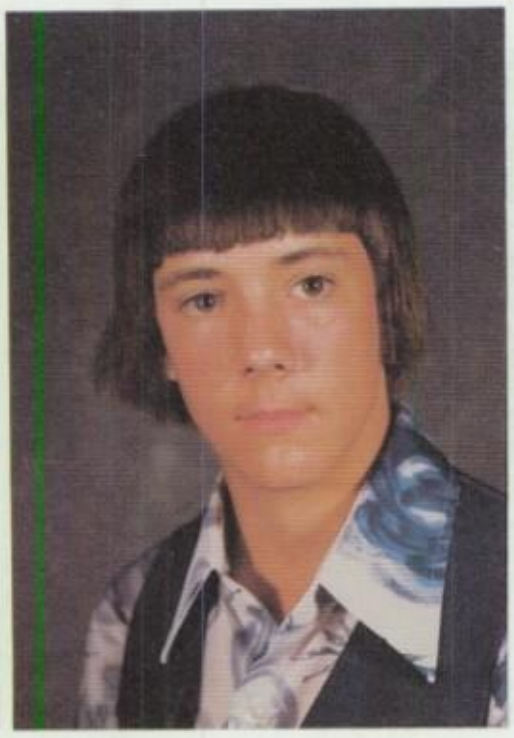

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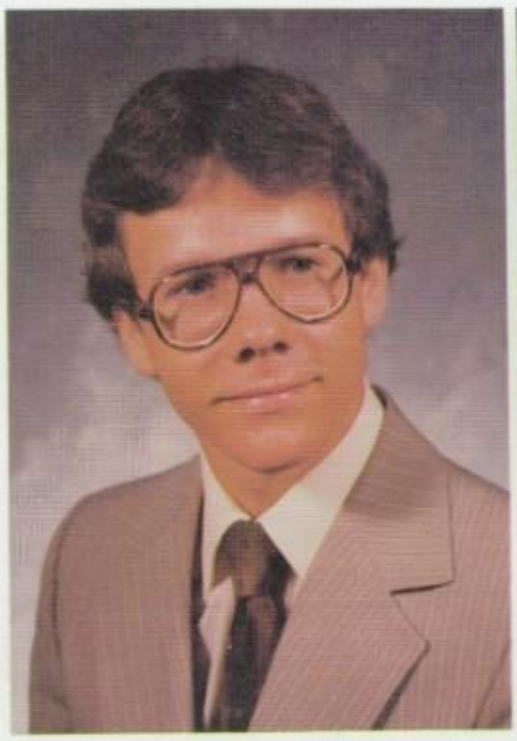

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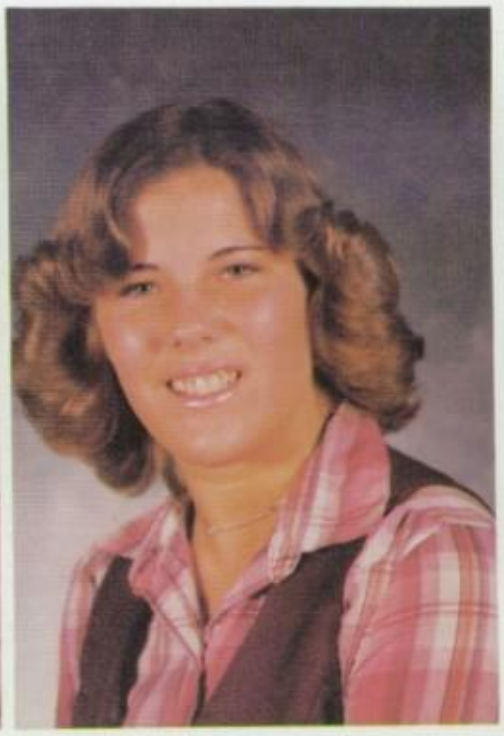

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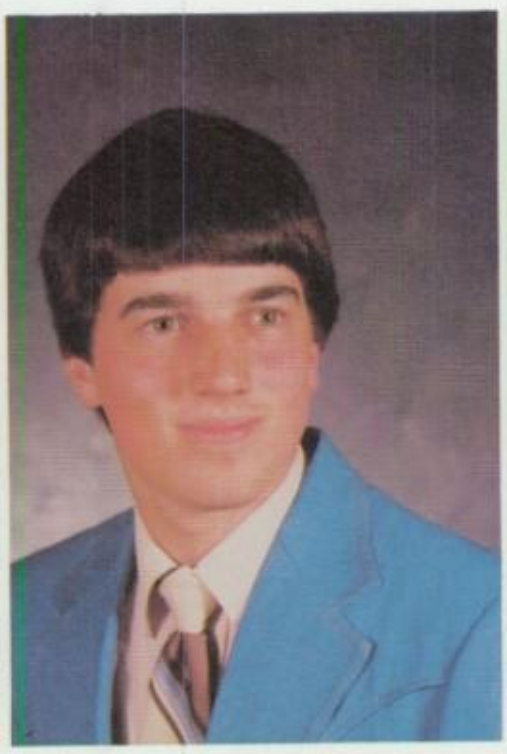

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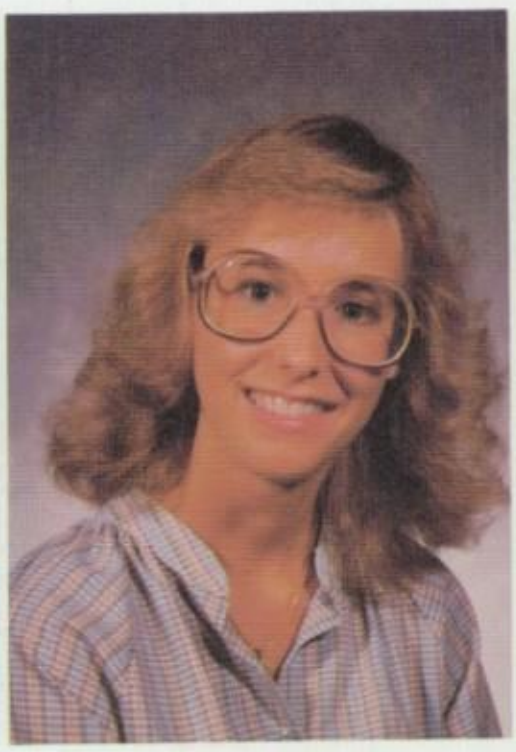

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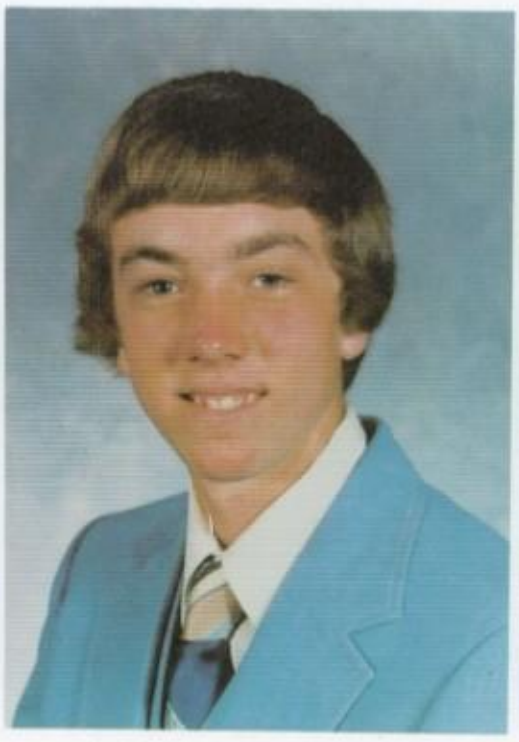

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Daniel W. Lambert

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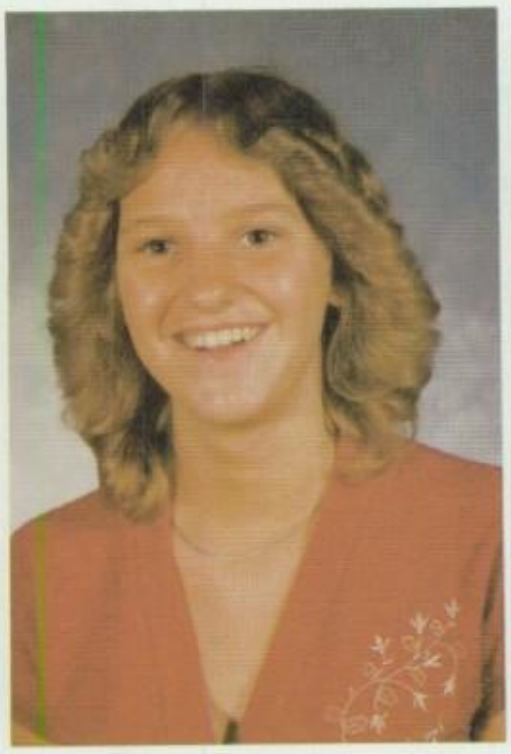

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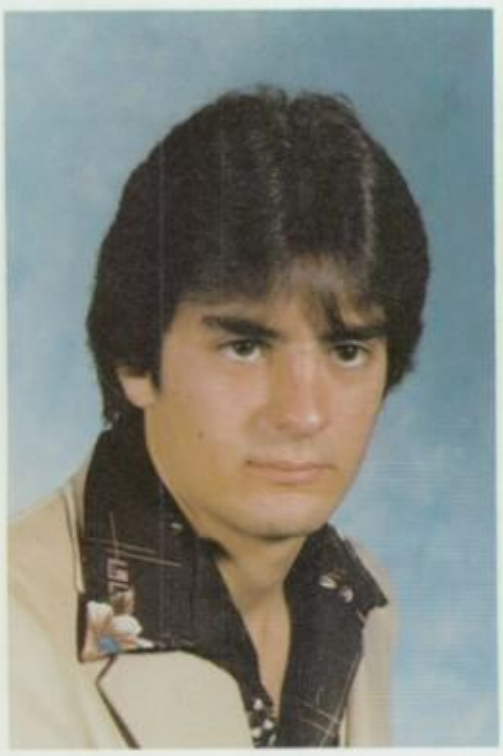

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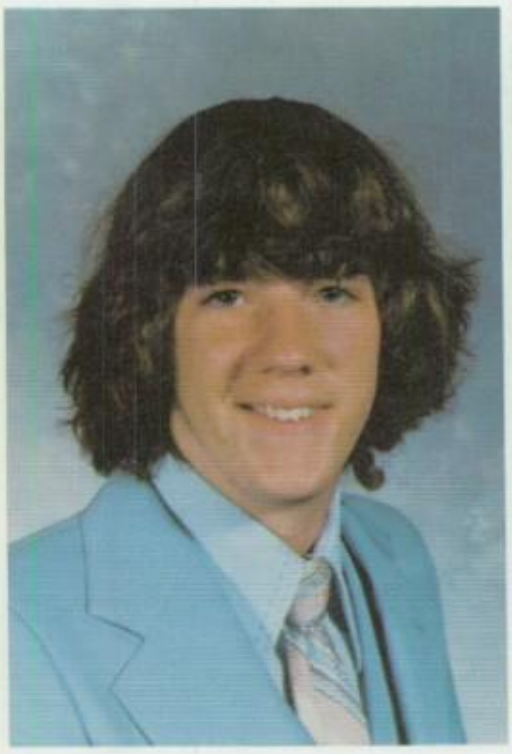

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Laura J. Middendorff

Deanna L. Moeschberger

Laura Middendorff takes a break from Senior Math.

Patrick D. Morrissey

Ken J. Neadstine

Michele K. Noll

Shari L. Noll

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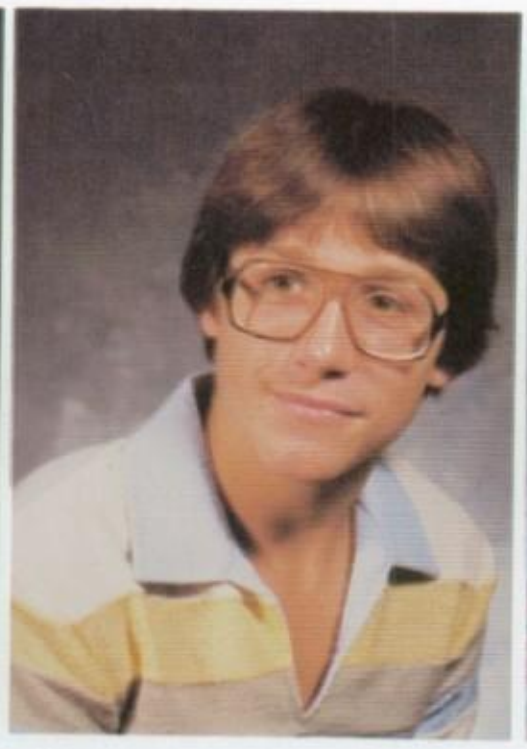

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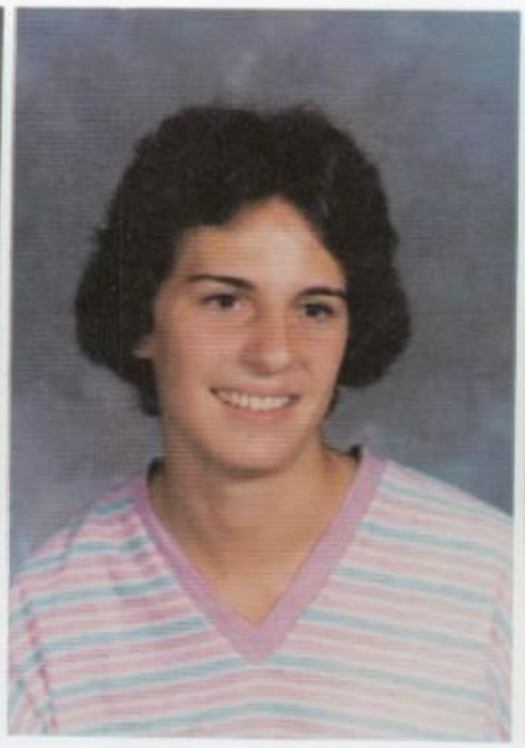

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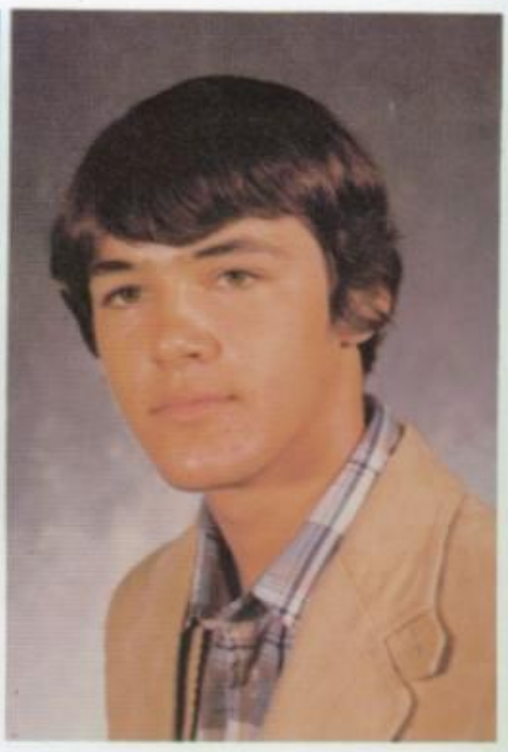

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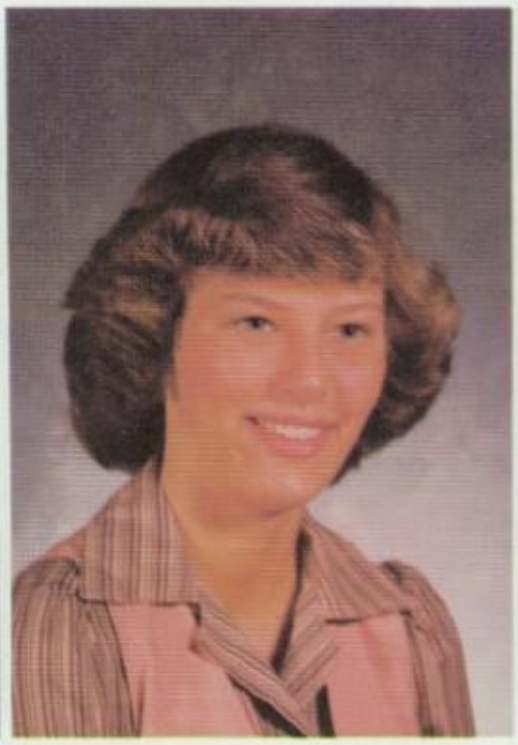

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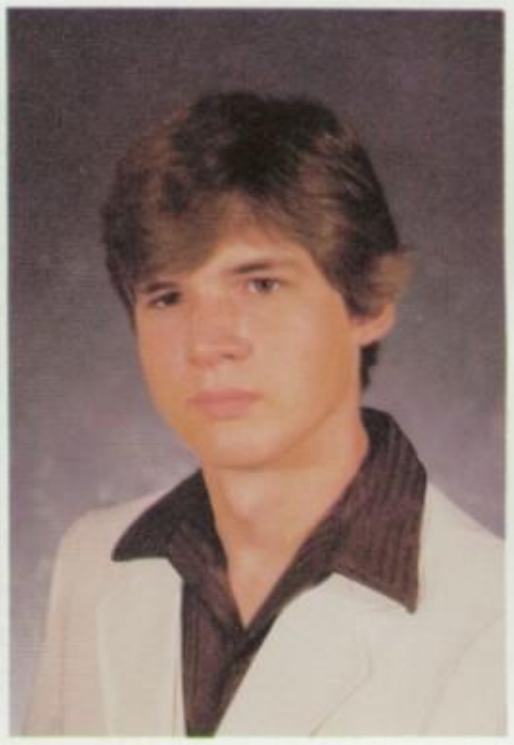
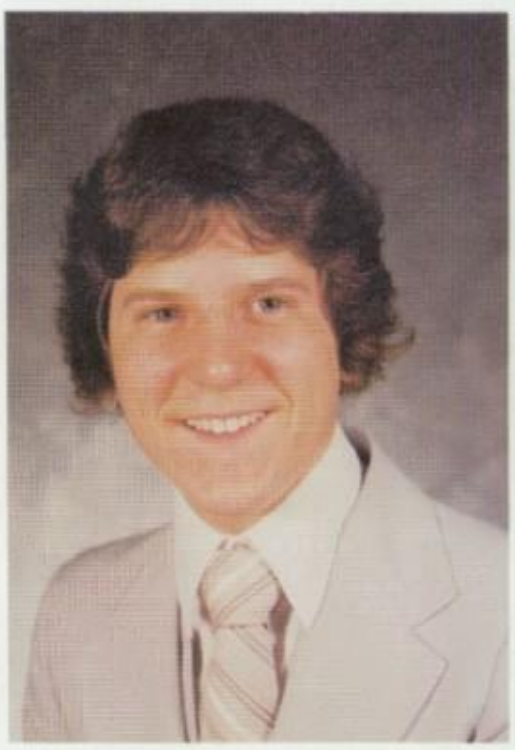


Jon S. Smith

Senior Math students prepare for their next test.



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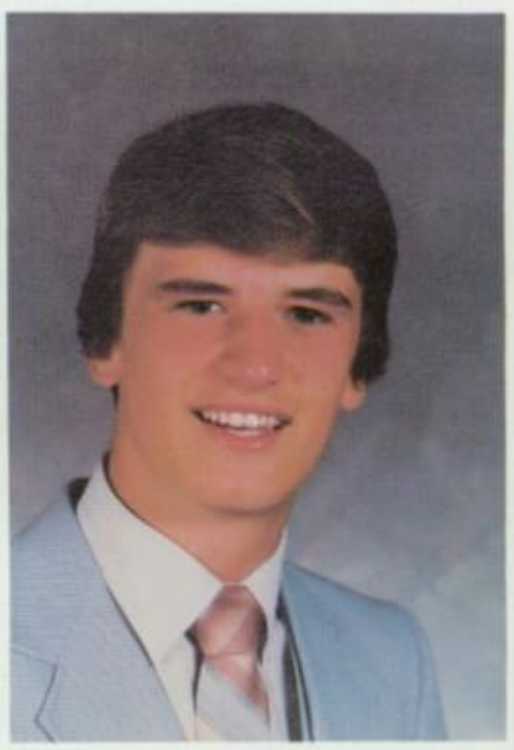

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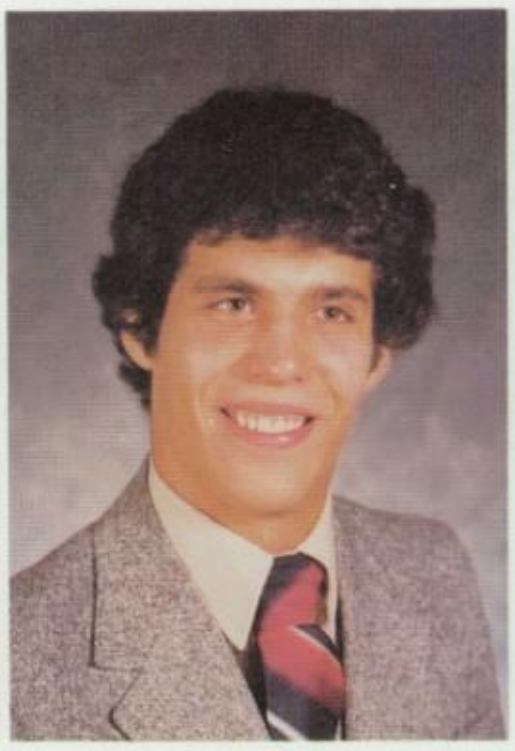

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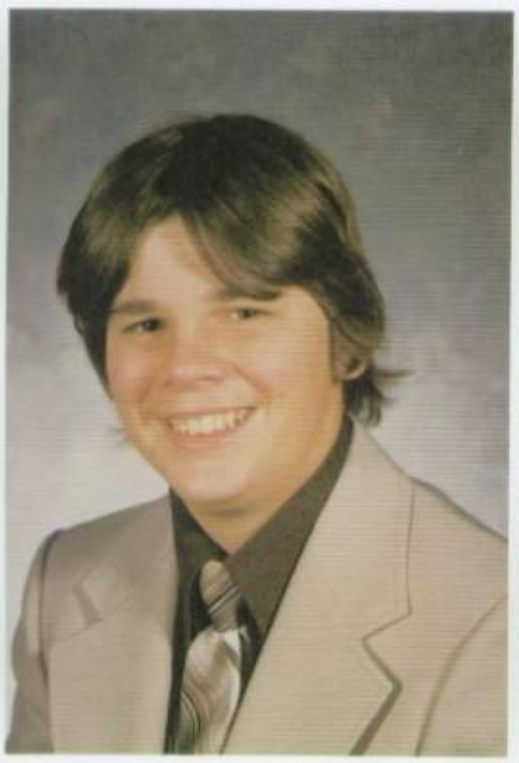
Consumer Mgt. students take notes from lecture.

Ricardo Valencia



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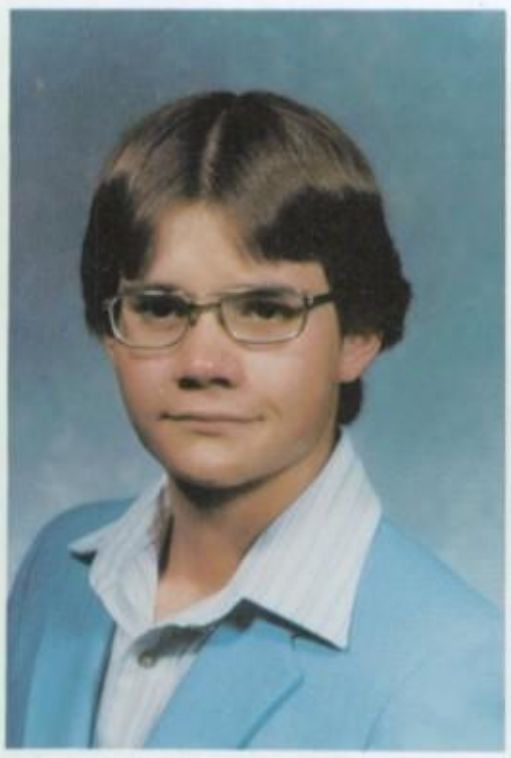

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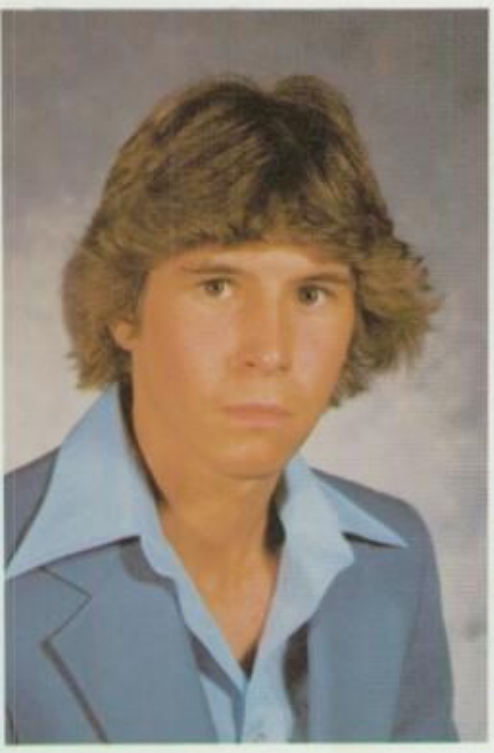

Troy D. Wilkins

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Leann A. Wolfe

Scott Wittwer works diligently in art class.

Scott A. Workinger

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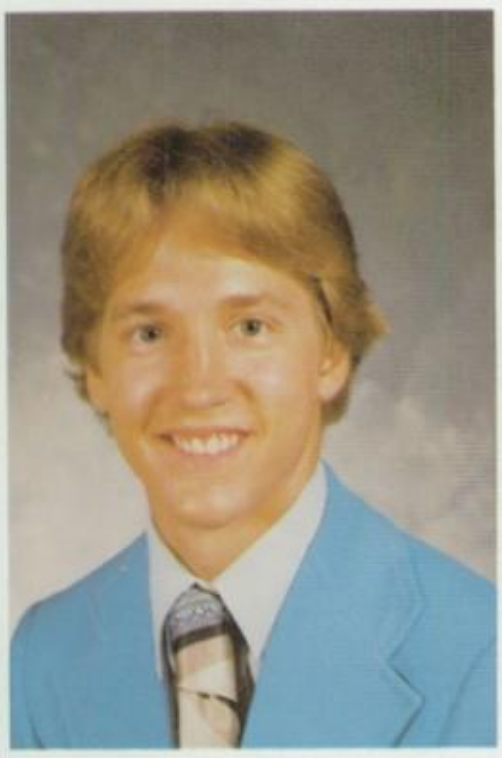

Farrel L. Zurcher

LeAnn Wolfe finds humor in a classmates joke.

Not Pictured:
Kelly Light

Class Officers
Pres.-Cheryl Rich
V. Pres.-Brenda Lambright
Sec./Tres.-Jodi Holtsberry

As memories unfold,

across the meadows of our minds,

we remember the special moments

we shared with others.

We would now like to share the moment of

our graduation with you.

Adams Central High School

Sunday afternoon, May seventeenth

Nineteen hundred and eighty-one

at two-thirty o'clock

High School Gymnasium

Class Motto

You will make all kinds of mistakes;
but as long as you are
generous and true, and also fierce,
you cannot hurt the world
or even seriously distress her.
She was made to be wooed
and won by youth.
Winston Churchill

Class Colors

Red and Grey

Class Flower

Rose

Class Song

I'm Alright

SENIOR DIRECTORY

-A-

KATHI A. ABBOTT: Pep Band 1 2 4; Stage Band 1 2 4; Concert Band 1 2 4; Marching Band 1 2 4; Nisbova 1 2 Choir 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; Publications 2; Drama Club 1 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; French Club 1 2; German Club 3 4; Student Librarian 1; GAA 1 2; Volleyball 1; Musical 2 3 4; Orchestra 2 3 4.

PENNY L. ADKISON: Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 3 4; Spanish Club 3 4.

JERRY T. ANDREWS: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4; Wrestling 1 2 3 4.

ANTHONY L. ARNOLD: Co-op 4.

JEFFERY S. ATKINSON: Pep Band 1 2; Stage Band 2; Marching Band 2 3 4; Cross Country 1; Track 1 2; Rifle Club 1 2.

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CHERYL L. BAILEY: Pep Band 1 2 3 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3; Choir 1 2 3 4; Sextet 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Publications 3; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; German Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 4; Who's Who 4; GAA 2; Jazz Band 4.

GREGORY L. BAILEY: Football 1 3 4.

TED A. BARGER: Cadet Teacher 4; Co-op 4; Wrestling 1 2 3 4; Football 1 2 3 4; Prom Court 4.

JANALYN K. BAUMGARTNER: Choir 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3; Cadet Teacher 3 4; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2 3; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; GAA 1 2; Track 1 2 3 4; Volleyball 1 2; Musical 3 4; Swim Team 2; Prom Court 4.

STANLEY K. BEBOUT: Pep Band 1; Concert Band 1 2; Marching Band 1 2; FFA 2 3 4; Co-op 4; Rifle Club 1 2 3.

CHERYL L. BLUHM: Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1; Pom Pom 1; Choir 1 2 3; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 2 3; Student Council 2 3; Pep Club 1; Cheerleader 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2; Homecoming Court 4; GAA 1 2; Manager-Girls Basketball 1; Musical 2 3; Prom Court 4.

ANITA L. BRAUN: Marching Band 1 2 3; Rifle Corps 1 2 3; Choir 1 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2; Homecoming Court 4; Mat Maid 3 4; Rifle Club 1 2 3 4; Tennis 4; Prom Court 4.

CHRIS W. BRAUN

NANCY J. BRAUN: Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Flag Corps 1 2 3 4; Pom Pom 1 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2 3; Student Librarian 4; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 1 2 3 4; Tennis 2.

TIMOTHY J. BRAUN: Pep Band 1 3 4; Stage Band 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 3 4; German Club 1 2 3 4; Wrestling 3 4; Rifle Club 1.

THEODORE W. BRUNNER: Concert Band 1 2 3; Marching Band 1 2 3; FFA 2; Cadet Teacher 3; Cross Country 3; Track 2; Rifle Club 1 4.

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MARGARET J. CAUDLE: Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Rifle Corps 1 2 3 4; Nisbova 4; Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Choir 1 2 3 4; Sextet 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; Publications 4; GAA 2; Tennis 2; Musical 2 4.

BRIAN S. CAVANAUGH: Cross Country 1; Track 1 2; Rifle Club 3.

SUSAN J. CHAPMAN: Pep Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 1 2 3 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Nisbova 2 4; Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 4; FCA 1 2 3 4-Huddle Captain; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2; GAA 1 2; Volleyball 1 2-Manager; The Society of Distinguished American High School Students 3 4; Orchestra 2 4.

PAMELA A. CHRISTIANER: Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3; Co-op 4.

LISA S. CLARK: Choir 1 2 3; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4-Vice-President 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3; Who's Who 3 4; Class Officer-Vice-President 2, President 3; Musical 2 3; Madrigal 2 3.

STACY M. COALSON: Pep Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 1 2 3 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Rifle Corps 1 2 3 4; Nisbova 1 2 3 4; Choir 1 2 3 4; Junior Sextet 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; GAA 1 2; Student Council 2; Cadet Teacher 3; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; German Club 1 2 3 4; Musical 2 3 4; Orchestra 2 3 4; National Band Association 4; Madrigal 4.

LARRY N. COLWELL

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JEFFREY A. EICHER: Electronics 3.

MARK ELLENBERGER: Baseball 1; Rifle Club 1 2.

LAURA N.ELZEY: Sunshine2 3 4;Cadet Teacher 1 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1 2; GAA 1 2; Basketball 1 2 3 4-Co-captain 4.

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PATTY J. FAWBUSH

BRIAN D. FENNIG: FFA 1; Co-op 4; Baseball 1 2 3; Basketball 1 2 3 4.

BRIAN L. FIECHTER: FFA 3; Cadet Teacher 3 4; Co-op 4; Basketball 1.

LYNN C. FIECHTER: National Honor Society 3 4; FFA 1 2 3; Cadet Teacher 3; Co-op 4; Wrestling 1 2 3.

MATTHEW A. FORD: FFA 3 4; Co-op 4; Wrestling 1 2 3 4; Football 1 2 3 4.

KELLI K. FOX: Flag Corps 1; Pom Pom 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Spanish Club 1 2; Co-op 4; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 2 3 4; Track 1 2 3 4-Co-captain 3 4; Volleyball 1.

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BRUCE D. GAGLE: Pep Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 1 2 3 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Nisbova 1 2 3 4; Choir 2 3 4; Swing Choir 2 3 4; FCA 1 2 3 4-Treasurer 4; Publications 2 3 4; Drama Club 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Who's Who 1 2 3 4; Cross Country 4; Basketball 1; Golf 1 2 3 4-Captain 3 4; Musical Orchestra 2 3 4.

LISA M. GARWOOD: Sunshine 2 3; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; German Club 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4; GAA 1 2; Volleyball 2.

AMY J. GENTH: Choir 1 2; Swing Choir 1 2; Sunshine 1 2 3; Cadet Teacher 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3; Spanish Club 1 2 3; Co-op 4; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 2 3.

NATHAN GERBER: Wrestling 1 2 3 4-Manager.

TWILA K. GERBER: Choir 1 2 3 4; Swing Choir 1 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; Student Council 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3; Track-Manager 1; Tennis 2; Musical 2 3 4.

MARION L. GILGEN: Co-op 4; Football 1.

MICHAEL A. GREMAUX: National Honor Society 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Wrestling 1 2 3 4-Captain 4; Football 1 2 3 4; Track 2 4-Captain 4; Class Secretary 3; Prom Court 4-King.

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REX A. HARRIS: Cadet Teacher 4; Spanish Club 1 2 4; Baseball 1 3 4; Basketball 1; Track 2; Prom Court 4.

BRAD L. HARRUFF: Wrestling 2 3 4; Basketball 1; Prom Court 4.

CYNTHIA L. HARTMAN: Concert Band 1 2 3; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Flag Corps 1 2 3 4; Rifle Corps 3 4; Pom Pom 1 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 2 3 4; Track 1 2 3.

BILL L. HATTEN: FFA 1; Wrestling 3 4.
ROSE A. HEIMANN: Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2; Student Librarian 1 2; Track 2.
CINDY S. HEISER: Sunshine 2 3; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2; Co-op 4; GAA 1 2; Basketball 1 2 3; Track 1; Volleyball 2; International Club 4.
CLIFF W. HILL: Football 1; Track 1.
KEITH HIRSCHY: Cadet Teacher 4; Baseball 1 2 3 4; Football 1 2 3 4; Basketball 1 2 4; Lifeguard 4; Prom Court 4.
LORI A. HIRSCHY: Choir 2 3; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 1 2 3 4; French Club 1; Co-op 4; GAA 1; Lifeguard 1 2 3 4.
JODI L. HOLTSBERRY: Choir 1 2 3 4; Swing Choir 1 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Publications 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Cheerleader 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4-Secretary 4; Homecoming Court 4; Student Librarian 1; GAA 2; Tennis 2 3 4; Class Officer-Secretary 1, Secretary-/Treasurer 4; Musical 2 3 4; Prom Court 4.
GLORIA M. HUNTER: Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1 2; Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2; Spanish Club 1 2; GAA 1; Mat Maid 2 3 4.
JAMES D. HUSER: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4.

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JERRY L. ISCH: FFA 1 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 3 4.
JULI A. ISCH: Choir 1 2 3 4; Swing Choir 1 2; Sextet 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; Student Council 1 3; Cadet Teacher 4; Cheerleader 1 2; Spanish Club 1 2; Student Librarian 1; GAA 1; Musical 1; Class Officer-President 2.
KEVIN R. IVINS: Pep Band 1 2; Stage Band 1; Concert Band 1 2; Marching Band 1 2; Cadet Teacher 4; Basketball 1; Track 1 2 3 4-Captain 4.

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JILL A. JOHNSON: Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4-Executive Council 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4-President 4; Homecoming Court 4; GAA 1 2; Baguba Girl 4; Mat Maid 3; Volleyball 1 2; Tennis 2 3; Class Officer-Vice-President 1; Prom Court 4.

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VICKY D. KAHLERT: Sunshine 2 3 4; FCA 4; Pep Club 1 2; Spanish Club 1 2; GAA 1 2; Track 2 3 4-Co-captain 4.
RONALD W. KING: FAA 4; Basketball 1 2 3.
BETH I. KIPFER: Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4-Secretary 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 3; Who's Who 4; GAA 1 2; Track 2-Manager; Volleyball 2 3-Manager; Tennis 2.
KENT A. KLOPFLEISCH: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4.
LISA A. KOHNE: Choir 1 2; Sunshine 2 3; Cadet Teacher 2; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Who's Who 4; GAA 1 2; Volleyball 2-Manager.
RHONDA K. KOHNE: Choir 1 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; Student Council 4; Cadet Teacher 2 3; Drama Club 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1; GAA 1 2; Basketball 1 2 3 4; Track 1 2.

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ANTHONY E. LAFONTAINE: Co-op 4.
ANNA C. LAITNEN: Sunshine 4; French Club 4; Volleyball 4; Swimming 4.
DANIEL W. LAMBERT: Choir 4; Swing Choir 4; National Honor Society 3 4; Student Council 2 3 4-Secretary/Treasurer 4; Cadet Teacher 2 4; Publications 3 4-Editor-Jet Stream 4; Drama Club 2 3 4-Vice-President 3; Pep Club 2 3 4; Cheerleader 3 4; Spanish Club 4; German Club 1 2 3 4; Boys State 4; Baseball 1 2 4; Football 1; Basketball 1.
JOHN R. LAMBERT: Cadet Teacher 4.
BRENDA L. LAMBRIGHT: Sunshine 2 3 4-Executive Council 3 4; Cadet Teacher 2 3; Publications 3; Drama Club 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4-Vice-President 3-President 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3-Treasurer 2-Vice-President 3; Homecoming Queen 4; Student Librarian 1; Girls State 3; GAA 1 2-Secretary 2; Track 1; Volleyball 1; Tennis 2; Class Officer 4-Treasurer 1, Vice-President 4; Prom Court 4.
DEANE A. LEHMAN: National Honor Society 3 4-President 4; FCA 1 2 3 4-Secretary/Treasurer 3, President 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Who's Who 3 4; Baseball 1 2 3 4; Basketball 1 2 3 4; Class Officer 2 3-Vice-President 3, Treasurer 2; Prom Court 4.
VICKIE A. LIBY: Pep Band 1 2 3; Stage Band 1 2; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Choir 1 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; FCA 2 3; Publications 3; Pep Club 1 2 3; German Club 1 2; Track 2; Musical 2 3 4; Jr. Sextet 2.
ROGER P. LICHTLE
KELLY J. LIGHT: Cadet Teacher 4.
DAVID A. LOSHE: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4.
DEBRA A. LOSHE: Sunshine 2 3; Co-op 4; GAA 1.
LORI L. LUGINBILL: Sunshine 2 3 4; Drama Club 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 3 4.

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KIM J. MAILLOUX: Football 1.
GARY E. MANLEY: Co-op 4; Wrestling 2; Baseball 1 2; Football 1 2 3 4; Basketball 1.
KENNETH P. MCCULLOUGH: Pep Band 1 2 3; Concert 1 2 3; Marching Band 1 2 3; Cadet Teacher 4; Publications 4; Drama Club 1 2 3 4; German Club 1 2; Football 4; Track 1 2 3 4.
LAURA J. MIDDENDORFF: Pep Band 1 3 4; Concert Band 1 3 4; Marching Band 1 3 4; NISBOVA 1 3 4; Sunshine 2; National Honor Society 3 4-Treasurer 4; FCA 1 4-Huddle Captain 4; Student Council 4; Pep Club 1 2; Spanish Club 1 2; Student Librarian 1 2; Who's Who 4; GAA 1 2; Basketball 1 2 3 4-Captain 3 4; Track 1; Volleyball 1 3 4-Co-Captain 4; Jazz Band 3; Tennis 2.
DEANNA L. MOESCHBERGER: Pep Band 1 2 3; Concert Band 1 2 3; Marching Band 1 2 3; Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 1 2 3 4; Drama Club 2 4; Pep Club 1 2 3; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; German Club 1 2 3 4.
PATRICK D. MORRISSEY: Spanish Club 1 2 3-Treasurer 2; Co-op 4; Baseball 1 2 3; Basketball 1 2 3 4.

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KEN J. NEADSTINE: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4.
MICHELE K. NOLL: Pep Band 1; Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1 2; Flag Corps 1 2; Pom Pom 2; NISBOVA 1; Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Cheerleader 1; German Club 1 2 3 4; GAA 1; Mat Maid 2.
SHARI L. NOLL: Concert Band 1 2 3; Flag Corps 1 2 3; Twirler 1 2; Pom Pom 1 2 3; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Cheerleader 1; German Club 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4; GAA 1.
MARVIN J. NUSSBAUM: FFA 1 2 3 4-Parliamentarian 3, Reporter 4; Co-op 4.

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PEGGY S. PARRISH: Sunshine 2 3 4; FCA 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Spanish Club 1 2; GAA 1 2; Track 2.

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RENA S. REIDENBACH: NISBOVA 1 2; Choir 1 2; Junior Sextet 2; Sunshine 2 3 4; Student Council 2 3; Cadet Teacher 2 3 4; Drama Club 1 2 3 4; Cheerleader 1 2; Spanish Club 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1 2; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 4; Track 1; Musical 2; Girl's Glee 2.
CHERYL A. RICH: Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4-Executive Council 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; FCA 1 2 3 4; Student Council 1 2; Cadet Teacher 1 2 4; Drama Club 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4-Secretary 2;

Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Homecoming Court 4; Student Librarian 1; GAA 1 2; Basketball 1 2 4; Track 1; Volleyball 1 2 3 4-Co-Captain 4; Tennis 2 3 4; Class Officer-President 4; Prom Court 4.

KARLA S. RICH: Pep Band 2 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Flag Corps 1 2 3 4; Pom Pom 1 2 3; NISBOVA 2; Choir 1 2;Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; FCA 1 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 1 2 3 4; Drama Club 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1 2 3; GAA 1 2; Track 1; Volleyball 1.

STANLEY J. RINGGER: FFA 1 2; Co-op 4; Football 4; Cross Country 2 3; Basketball 1; Track 1 2 3.

KRISTI S. RUMSCHLAG: Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3; Cadet Teacher 2 4; Pep Club 1 2; Spanish Club 1; Student Librarian 1 2; Co-op 4; GAA 1 2; Track 1 2; Volleyball 1 2.

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JEFF B. SCHAADT: Rifle Club 2.

GREGG L. SCHULTZ: National Honor Society 3 4; Wrestling 2 3 4; Football 2 3 4; Track 2 3.

THOMAS E. SCHWALLER: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4.

DEBBIE J. SMITH: Pep Band 1; Stage Band 1; Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1; Choir 1 2; Sunshine 2 3 4-Executive Council 2, Recording Secretary 3, Treasurer 4; National Honor Society 3 4; FCA 3 4; Student Council 3 4; Publications-Editor-in-Chief 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Homecoming Court 4; Prom Court 4; GAA 1 2; Baguba Girl 3 4; Mat Maid 2.

JON S. SMITH: National Honor Society 4; Student Council 1; Cadet Teacher 3; Publications-Feature Editor 4; Spanish Club 1 2 4; Who's Who 4; Baseball 1 2-Manager; Football 1 2 3 4-Manager; Basketball 1-Manager; National Merit 4; Prom Court 4.

LES J. SMITH: Co-op 4; Football 1; Golf 1 2 3 4; Prom Court 4.

JED D. SPEAKMAN: Pep Band 1; Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1; Choir 1 2 3 4; Swing Choir 1 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; FCA 2 3; Cadet Teacher 4; Publications 3 4; Drama Club 1 2 3 4; Pep Club 3 4; Cheerleader 3 4; Track 2 4-Manager; Golf 1; Musical 2 3 4; Madrigal 3 4.

ELINOR R. SPRUNGER: Concert Band 1; Marching Band 1; NISBOVA 4; Choir 1 2 3 4; Swing Choir 1 2 3 4; Sextet 4; Sunshine 2 3 4-Corresponding Secretary 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; National Honor Society 3 4; FCA 1 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Homecoming Court 4; Who's Who 3 4; GAA 1 2; Musical 2 3 4; Class Officer-Secretary/Treasurer 3 4; Prom Court 4.

ROSE M. STEFFEN: Concert Band 1 2 3; Marching Band 1 2 3; Flag Corps 1 2 3; Twirler 1 2; Pom Pom 1 2 3; Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1; Co-op 4; GAA 1 2.

TOD A. STRIKER: Cadet Teacher 2 3; Co-op 4; Wrestling 3; Baseball 1 2; Football 1 2 3 4; Basketball 1 2.

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SCOTT A. TAYLOR: National Honor Society 3 4; FFA 1 2 3 4-Treasurer 2, Vice-President 3 4; Cadet Teacher 4; German Club 1 2 3 4; Who's Who 4; Fooball 1.

JULIA M. THATCHER: Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 1; Student Librarian 4; GAA 1 2.

SHELLY L. THIEME: Sunshine 2; Pep Club 3; Spanish Club 3.

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RICARDO VALENCIA: Football 1 2 3 4; Basketball 1 2 3; Baseball 1 2; Track 2 3.

DUDLEY S. VANHORN: FFA 1 2 3 4; Co-op 4; Track 2.

PENELOPE I. VANHORN: Pep Band 1 2 3 4; Stage Band 1 2 3 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; NISBOVA 1 4; Choir 1; Sunshine 2 3 4; National Honor Society 3 4; FCA 1 2; Student Council 4-President 4; Publications 4; Drama Club 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; German Club 1 2 3; FFA Sweetheart 4; GAA 1 2; Volleyball 1.

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LYNNE M. WALTMIRE: Concert Band 1 2; Marching Band 1 2; Twirler 2; Pom Pom 1; NISBOVA 1 2 4; Swing Choir 1 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; Cadet Teacher 3; Publications 3 4-Design Editor 4; Pep Club 1 2 3; Cheerleader 1; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; Student Librarian 1; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 2 3; Track 2; Musical 2 3 4; Madrigal 3 4; Lifeguard 2.

DANIEL F. WEBER: FFA 1 2 3 4-Vice-President 3, President 4; Student Council 4; Football 1; Soil Judging 2 3 4; Livestock Judging 1 2 3 4; Chapter Meeting Team 1 2 3 4.

LYNETTE S. WELKER: Pep Band 1 2 3 4; Concert Band 1 2 3 4; Marching Band 1 2 3 4; Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 2 3 4.

PAULA R. WHITE: Sunshine 2 3 4-Executive Council 4; Cadet Teacher 4; Pep Club 1 2; Spanish Club 1 2; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 3; Track 1 2-Manager.

JOYCE A. WILDER: Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2; Spanish 1 2; GAA 1.

TROY P. WILKINS

SCOTT A. WITTWER: German 1; Marching 1 2 3; Concert Band 2 3; Jazz Band 2 3.

JOAN M. WINANS: Sunshine 2 3 4; GAA 1 2.

LEANN A. WOLFE: Sunshine 2 3 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Drama Club 4-Treasurer 4; Spanish Club 1 2 3 4; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 3.

SCOTT A. WORKINGER: Track 4.

KATHY WYSS: Sunshine 2 3 4; Drama Club 4; Pep Club 1 2 3 4; Spanish Club 3 4; Homecoming Court 4; GAA 1 2; Mat Maid 4; Prom Queen 4.

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FARREL L. ZURCHER: FCA 3 4; Spanish Club 3; French Club 1; Co-op 4; Cross Country 1 2 4; Basketball 1; Track 1 3; Golf 2.

CLASS OF 82 WINS

Chris Agler
Randy Amstutz
Leann Andrews
Max Barger
Jerry Barkley
Diane Bauman

Tanya Baumgartner
Lori Becher
Peggy Beer
Tim Bixler

Ann Bowers
Chad Bryan
Jeff Butler
Ronda Byerly

Trudi Colter
Lisa Conrad
Rod Cook
Lori Dick
Dean Dubach
Lisa Edwards

Tina Eicher
John Eisenmann
Todd Fellers
Craig Foor
Alan Foreman
Carey Free

Julie Frey
Audrey Fuelling
Joe Fuelling
Cindy Gerber

June Gerber
Wendi Gillion
Christi Girod
Diane Gremaux

Brenda Harshman
Steve Heimann
Tony Henkle
Kathy Hurst
Jim Isch
Brian Jacobs

HALL DECORATING CONTEST

Daren James
Jim Jesionowski
Teresa Jones
Greg Kaehr
Sam Kaehr
Debbie Kahlert

Scot Kershner
Debbie Lambert

Brent Lambright
Alan Lautzenheiser

Brent Lehman
Deanne Lehman
Eric Lehman
Bob Lewis
Jon Lichtenberger
Becky Liechty

Julie Litmer

Rhoda
Longenberger

Tina Luginbill

Leann Manley
David Marbach
Brad Martz
Tonya McCullough
Gary Mitchel
Linda Myers

Todd Fellers works concessions during half-time of the basketball game.

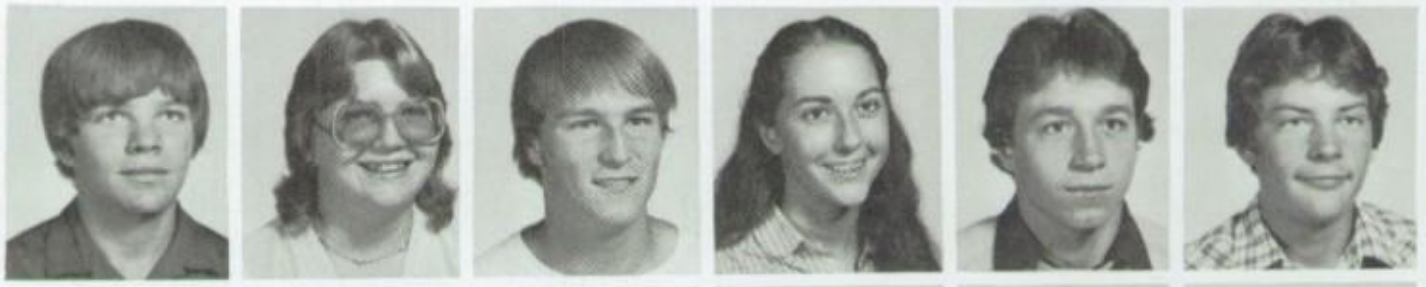
Wes Newsome
Diann Nussbaum

Gary Nussbaum
Cari Parrish

Robbie Pierce
Lisa Poindexter

Marcie Pritt
Mike Rauch

Pat Rauch
Suzie Rhodes
Kent Richards
Jaci Ringger
Nick Ringger
Roger Roe



Dean Saunders
Kevin Schaadt
Pete Schultz
Barb Schwaller
Vince Simpkins
Bruce Smith

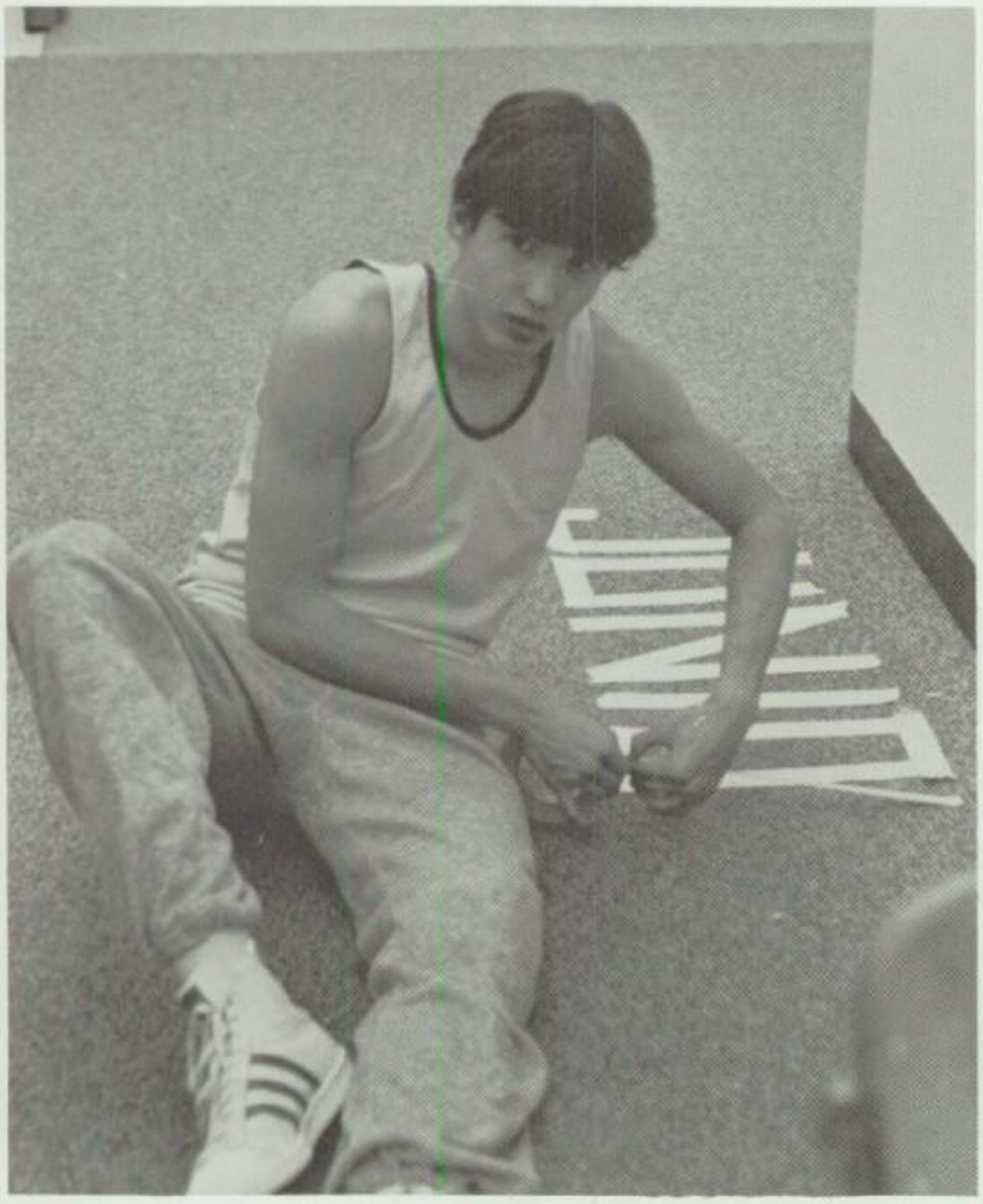
Jodi Smith
Jeff Smitley

Kim Snyder
Dale Sprunger

Keith Stoller
Marilyn Strayer

Doing what she does best, wrestling manager **Jodi Smith** cleans off the mat.

Bruce Smith takes time before basketball practice to help decorate the Junior hall.



Leroy Striker
Kathy Suman

Francela Swygart
Yvonda Tinkham

Sherri Vickers
Ronda Wilder

Vicki Wilder
Joy Williamson

Lori Workinger
Scott Yoder

Sorry **Kim,** there's not enough room up front for you.

Not Pictured:
Richard Gerber
Dawn Hullinger
Jeff Lengerich

This year was a busy year for the Junior class. They sold magazines to raise money for the prom, and also sold concessions at all the home ball games.

Once again the class of "82" walked away with first place in the Sectional hall decorating contest-the 3rd year in a row.

Being a Junior class officer was more than just a title. It meant a lot of hard work and the planning of the Junior-Senior Prom. This year's officers were:

Pres.-Cari Parrish
Vice Pres.-Greg Kaehr
Sec.-Treas.-Linda Myers

'81 BRINGS SOPHOMORES

Randy Andrews
Becky Archer
Jill Arnold
Lisa Bailey
Chris Beery
Karen Bergman

Jodi Black
Deb Bluhm
Randy Bluhm
Craig Brodbeck

Ken Brodbeck
Deb Brown
Troy Butler
Chris Cook

Laura Cook
Sherri Creque
Melody DeArmond
Matt Dick
Mary Ann Donaghy
Leondia Dubach

Don Elzey
Ed Everett
Amy Fellers
Keith Fiechter
Gene Fosnaugh
Sandy Fuelling

Doyle Fuhrman
Lynn Gagle
Angie Gerber
Brad Gerber

Jodi Gerber
Lisa Gerber
Madelyn Gerber
Tammi Gilliom

Karen Girod
Mark Hamilton
Marty Harrison
Rod Harruff
Donna Hartman
Fred Heimann

LICENSES AND SWEATERS

John Heller
Tom Hill
Dary Hirschy
Jill Isch
Kim Ivins
Paul Kahlert

Deb LaFontaine
Harold Lamons

Jamie Landis
Stacy Lautzenheiser

Tammy Litmer
Troy Mitchel
Kelli Moser
Scot Moses

Monica Myers
Dan Nelson

Shaun Nussbaum
Lisa Oliver

Deidre Pickens
Helen Pyle

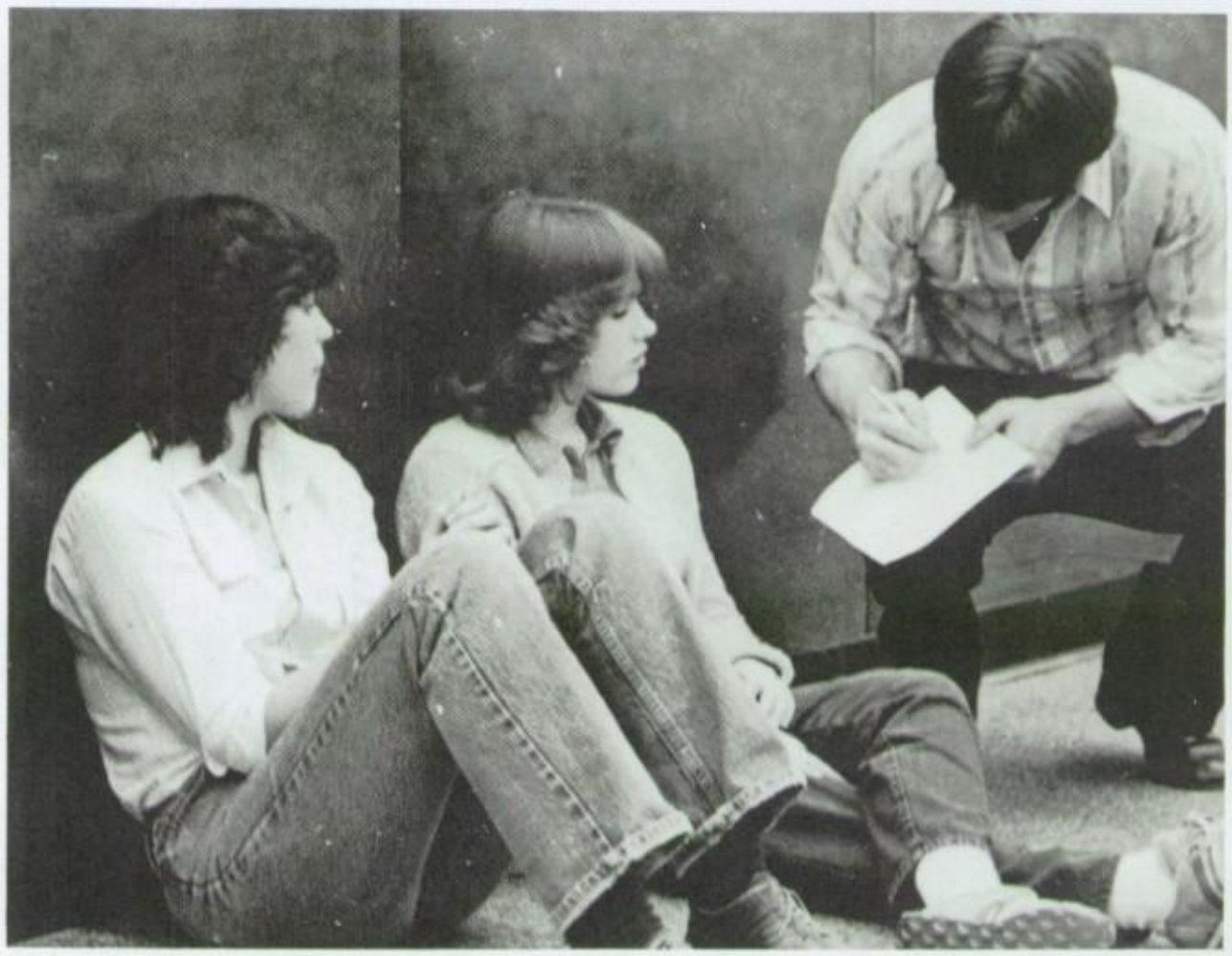
Timm Ross
Becky Schaadt
Sam Schultz
Ked Snyder
Darla Sprunger
Sherri Sprunger

Brian Stout
Amy Striker
Ronda Swygart
Jackie Thompson

Bob Tinkham
Ann Tonnellier
Julie Urick
Dove Vanhorn
Greg Vanhorn
Valeri Webb

Joe White
Deb Wies
Marsha Williams
Twyla Wolfe
Karen Wyss
Al Zeigler

Amy Striker and **Amy Fellers** talk math with **Mr. Miller.**



The year 1980 meant making many decisions for the sophomores. More opportunities in choosing classes was one of the first decisions the class of "83" made.

A new thing the sophomores tried this year was selling sweaters. The money will be used to help sponsor the prom.

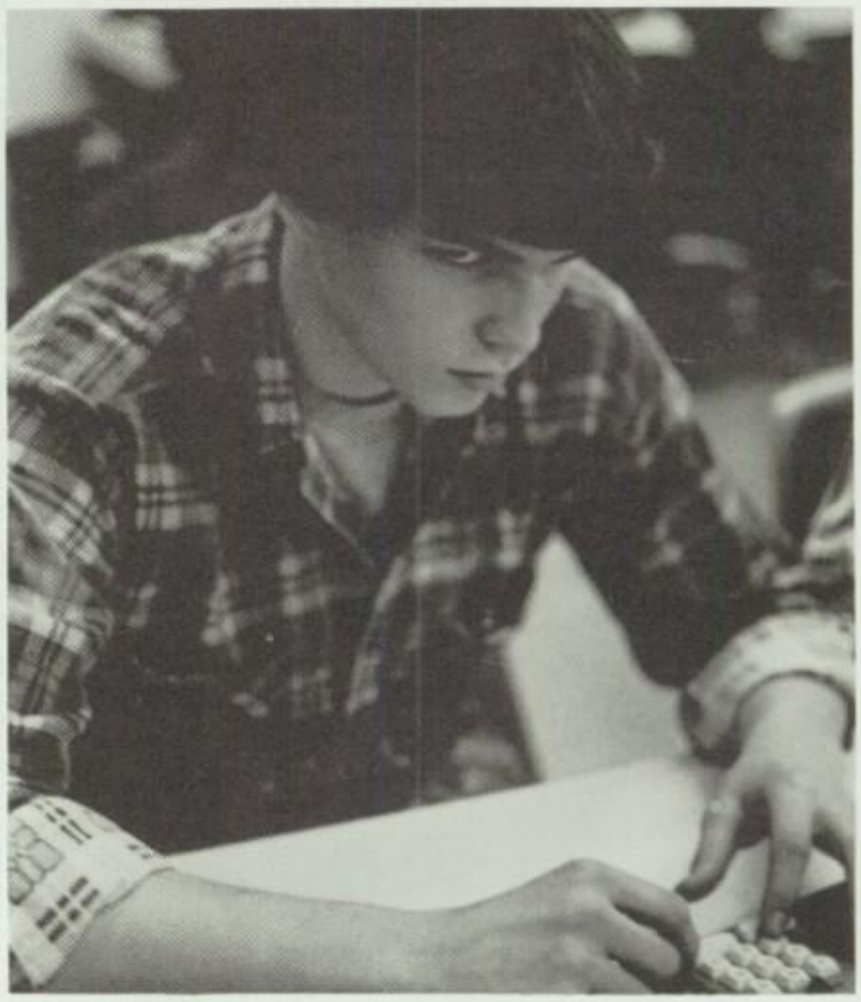
The officers for the sophomore class are as follows:

President-Lisa Oliver
Vice-President-Dan Nelson
Sec./Tres.-Lisa Gerber

Mary Ann Donaghy and **Deb Wies** are "thrilled" about learning French.

Helen Pyle acts natural in typing class.

Amy Fellers relaxes between sessions of the ACAC Wrestling Tourney.



Ed Everett keeps an eye out for **Mr. Oechsle** while he uses his two hand technique.

John Heller finishes his typing assignment before everyone else.

ANXIOUS FROSH

Philip Achleman
Beth Adkison
Jackie Allen
Brian Amstutz
Ray Ashley
Bob Barger

Becky Bauman
Robin Baumer
Stan Becher
Shelly Beer

Tom Beltz
Jeff Bertsch
John Biberstine
Todd Birch

Paula Black
Lisa Bowen
Patty Braun
Tim Braun
Doug Breauchy
Mark Brodbeck

Trudi Brown
Jeff Brunner
Nat Bryan
Stacey Butler
Brian Byerly
Davis Chaires

Tim Clouse
Jeff Colwell
Jim Cox
Jean Crook

Tanya Dague
Todd Dague
Mark DeArmond
Jamie Deathe

Todd Elzey
Barry Fairchild
Lynn Faulker
Terry Fawcett
Roger Fox
Larry Free

ENTER HIGH SCHOOL

Angie Garza
Jeff Gerber
Kelli Gerber
Shelley Gerber

Sidney Gerber
Kevin Girod
Tammy Girod
Bill Griffiths

Jay Grube
Brad Hackenjos
Sharon Haines
Bob Hall

Janice Heimann
Troy Heyerly
Willie Hodge
Cathy Hoffman
Scott Inniger
Janean Isch

Rhonda Jaurequi
Delin Johnson
Hal Kipfer
Troy Kipfer
Pat Kohne
Tammy Landrum

Dan Lehman
Lance Lehman

Amy Lengerich
Randy Lewis

Robin Lewis
Darin Liter

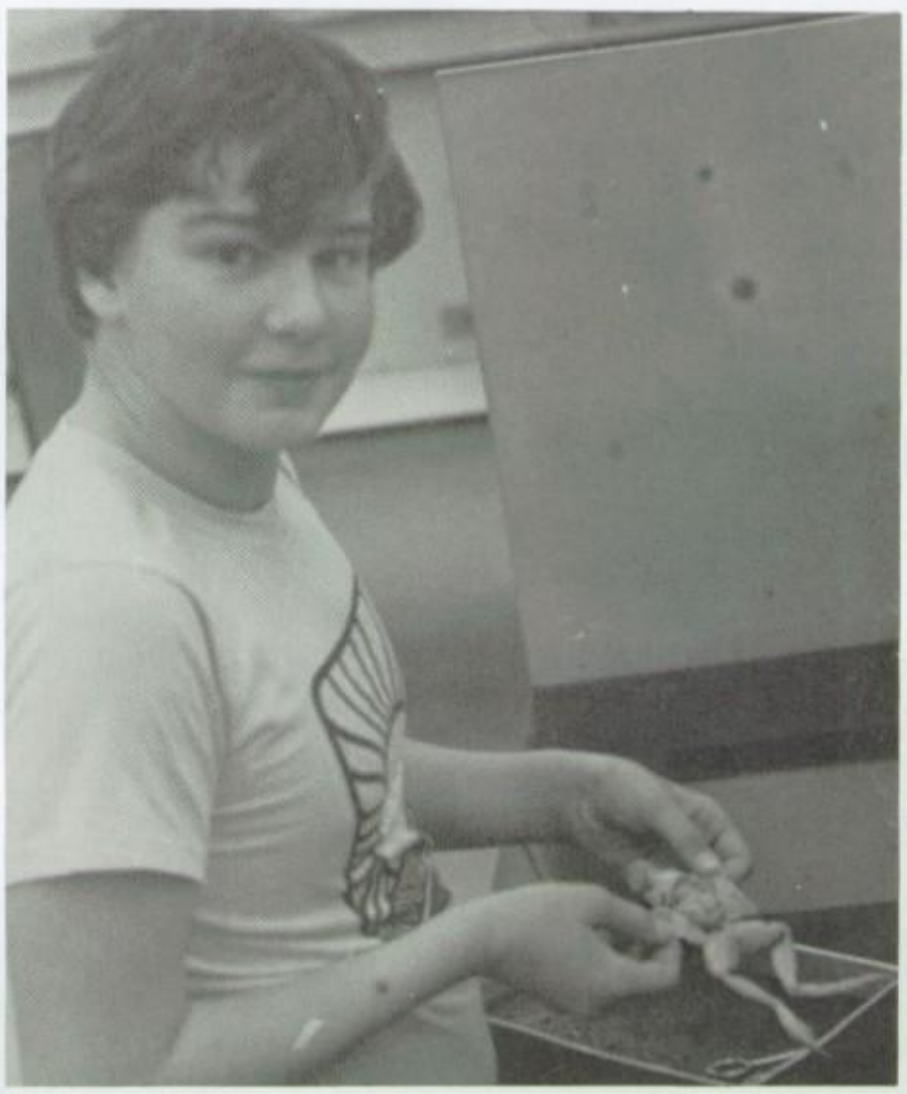
Coleen Loshe
Tom Lough
Shawn Main
Darin McIntosh
Carla Meyer
Janalee Middendorff

Pat Miller
Jim Moeschberger
Lonny Moser
Tony Mountz
Ben Parrish
Ernie Pyle

Vonn Rapp
Lori Rauch
Scott Rauch
Todd Riley
Lila Ringger
Penny Ringger

Denise Roth
Jim Roth
Jenny Saunders
Jeff Schaadt
Darain Schug
Doug Schwartz

Roger Fox and **Nat Bryan** study English together.



Dave Zirkelbach wonders what to do next with his half dissected frog.

Patty Braun displays one of her many favorite expressions.

Roger Schwarz
Kari Shinabery
Dina Smith
Mike Smitley
Gary Steffen
Gary Strait

Sharon Strayer
Rosetta Swygart
Todd Swygart
Terry Thieme
Jackie Tinkham
Sharla Vandeventer

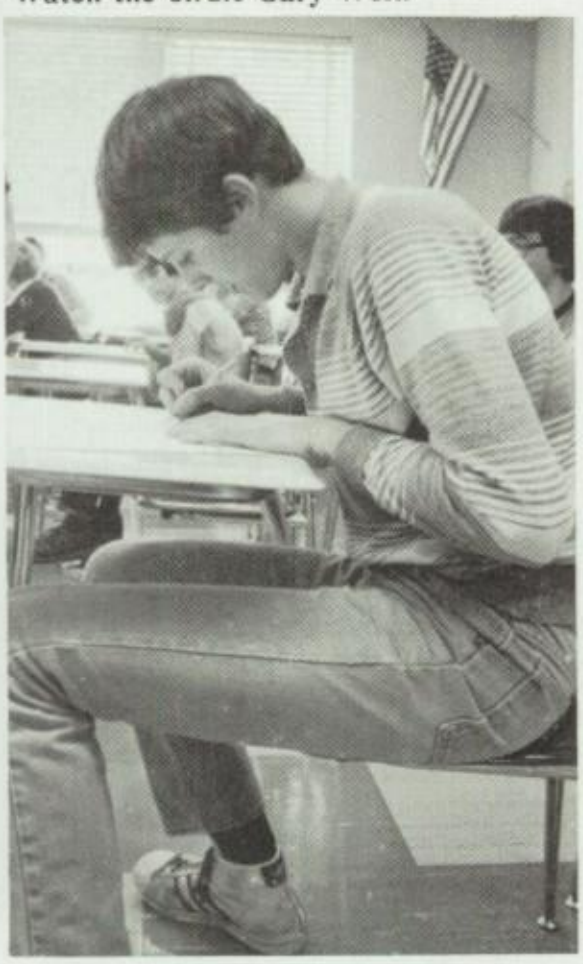
Kim Vickers
Gary Weil
Melissa Werst
Rolisa Wilder
Annette Workinger
Lisa Yager

Greg Yoder
Kelly Zeser
Kim Zeser

Dave Zirkelbach
Tracy Zurcher

Not pictured:
Steve Andrews

Watch the birdie **Gary Weil!**



Ray Ashley takes time out to relax.

Terry Fawcett studies one of **Mr. Miller's** assignments.

As the class of "84" entered high school they filled the halls with eagerness and anticipation. At first, adjusting to high school life was challenging but after the first few weeks they settled in. Their decisions increased as they had new classes and more extra-curricular activities to choose from.

Comments about the year came from these freshmen:

Roger Fox: It was a learning experience.

Denise Roth: Except for biology class, it was pretty fun.

Dan Lehman: It influenced my growth in furthering my education.

Officers for the year were:

President-Lisa Yager
Vice-President-Roger Fox
Secretary-Jeff Bertch
Treasurer-Lisa Bowen
Student Council-
Robin Baumer
Cathy Hoffman

TEACHERS PREPARE STUDENTS

The role of a high school teacher is a multifaced one. They do their best in teaching students as well as making their classes as interesting as possible. They spend many hours staying after class helping their students.

Besides teaching, they also take a big part in the extra-curricular activities as being coaches and sponsors.

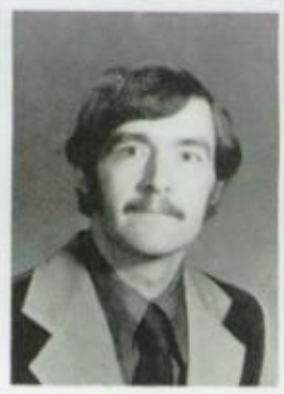
Students can count on them to help prepare them for their up coming years as well as after graduation. The students appreciate the help and hours the teachers have given them.

Richard Allspaw
Science
Anna Baker
English
Sandra Benz
Business

Sherry Campbell
Business
Teresa Carr
Physical
Education
C. Eugene
Chronister
Audio Visual

William Cole
Band Director
Susann Gilbert
Home Economics
Norman Glass
Social Studies

Ted Hakes
Industrial Arts
Tom Hough
Pool Director
J. William Hubbard
Science



Mr. Durnell shows **Scott Moses** how to work the mill.

Miss Benz and **Mrs. Campbell** discuss the days activities at the salad bar.

Barry Humble
Physical Education
Jerome Markley
English
Susan McKenzie
Spanish
Calvin Merillat
Agriculture
Randall Miller
Math

Rex Oechsle
Business
Neil Potter
Music
John Reinhard
Math
James Reinking
English

Leonard Stepp
Industrial Arts
Audrey Swartzendruber Almdale
German
Samuel Taylor
Social Studies

Thomas Walsh
Art
Paula Youse
Librarian

Teachers take time out to relax during the Veteran's Day inservice program.

Miss Baker reflects on the day's assignment with her class.

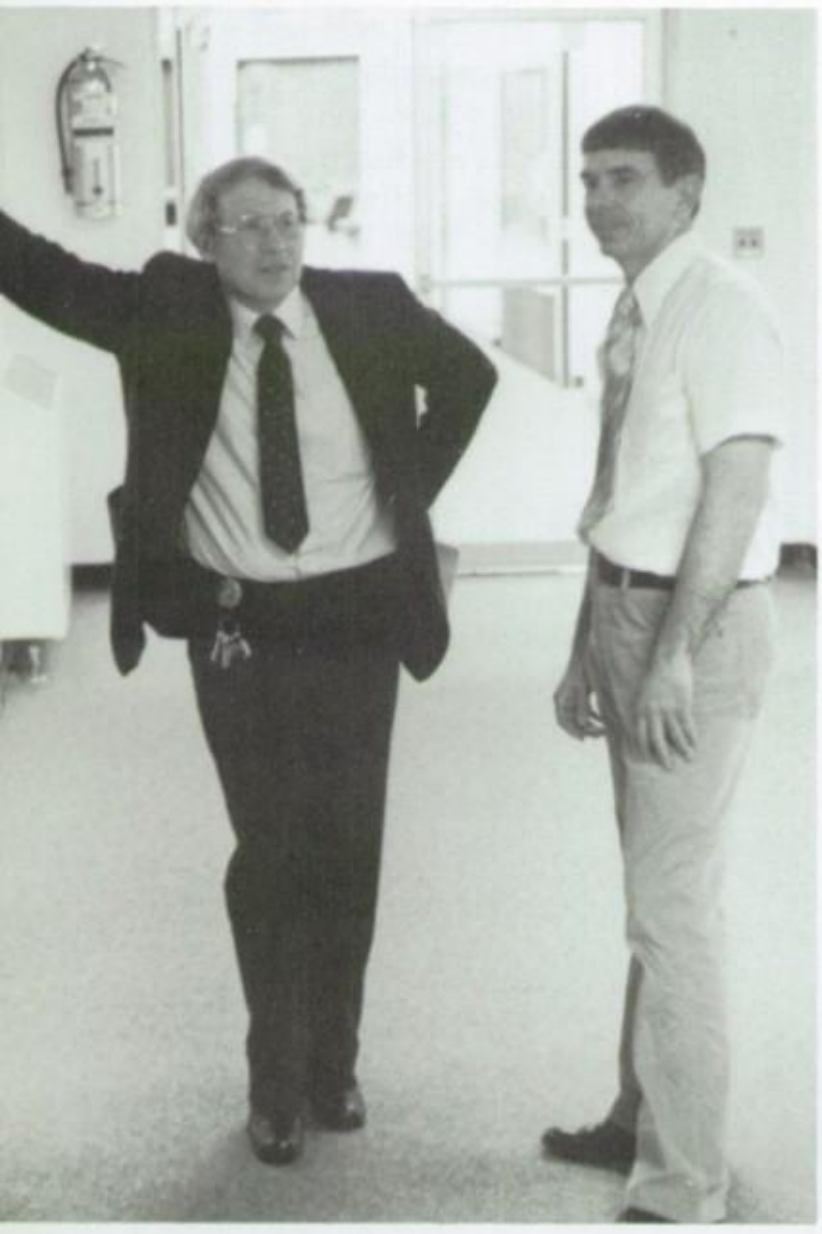
Mr. Glass makes sure his history students are in their seats and quiet at the sound of the bell.

ADMINISTRATION IN ACTION

Doyle Lehman
Superintendent

Larry D. Vandeventer
High School Principal

Brent Lambright and **Nick Ringger** discuss play day during a Student Council meeting with Mr. Van.



Mr. Bryan and **Coach Bantz** are busy discussing the events of the day.

Don E. Rush
Administrative Assistant
Athletic Director

Rod Williamson
High School Guidance

SCHOOL BOARD-(seated) Charles Hoffman, Rosalyn Striker, Kent Ringger. (standing) Paul Nussbaum, Myron DeArmond, Lowell Martin, Dennis Bluhm

David P. Gorrell
Elementary Principal

Cheryl Rich is busy interviewing **Mr. Williamson** for her Psych report.

A new grading system has been implemented in the Elementary school. Along with the grading system, new report cards have been issued for the school year.

Also, an Assertive Discipline Program has been utilized in some of the classrooms. This positive organizational plan has been well received by pupils, parents, and teachers.

A Reading Skills Checklist is being developed by the Elementary staff for the purpose of insuring continuity of instruction. This instrument will also provide a monitoring system which will help manage the teaching of reading skills in the classroom.

A new board policy was implemented that changed approval reasons for being absent. In the past, students were permitted to go on family vacations and work at home. This year unless it could be established that it was an emergency or hardship, a one percent grade deduction was charged for each day of absence.

The teachers and principals worked together to plan a new method of teacher evaluation. Many hours and much thinking were given to improving the procedure that teachers and principals use to evalute the teaching at A.C.

Edwin C. Bryan
Middle School Principal

Darrell L. Gerig
Middle School Guidance

LENDING A HELPING HAND

Just like any other staff members secretaries and teachers' aides are an important part of our school system. Bookkeeping, answering phones, filing, typing, and running errands are only a part of their jobs done every day. Teachers' aides help students and teachers in many ways. They have a lot of responsibilities consisting of typing, duplicating, looking up students, etc.

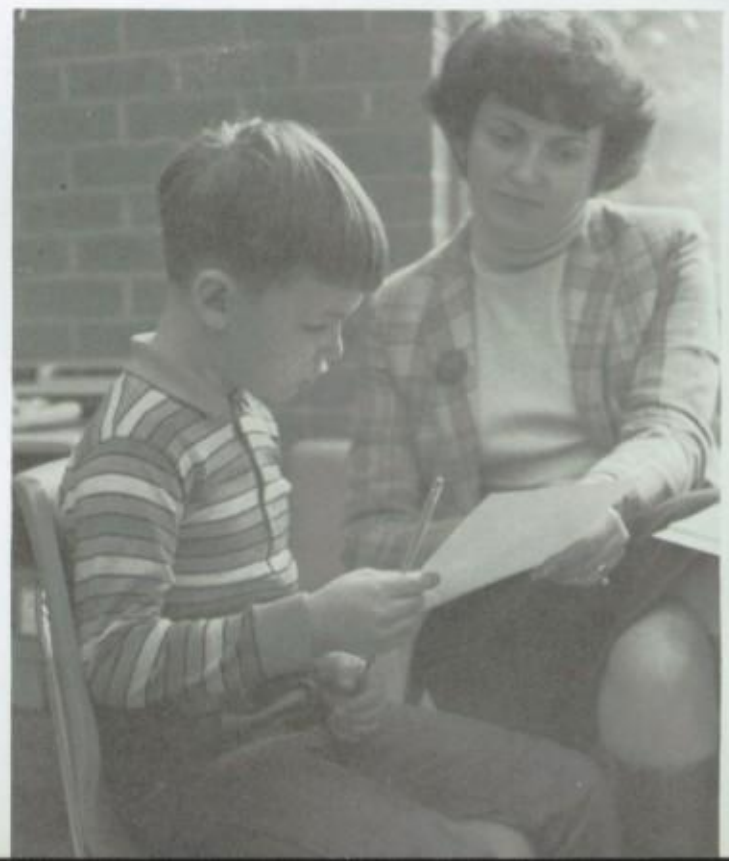
They also spend time here in the summer preparing for the next year.

Sharon Barger
Library Aide
Doris Burkhead
Middle School Secretary

Charlene Epp
Guidance Secretary
Shirley Fruechte
Teacher Aide

Helen Hakes
Teacher Aide
Jean Hamilton
Teacher Aide
Rose Jackson
High School Secretary

Mrs. James works with one of her reading students.



Janet James
Reading Aide
Hulda Leyse
Teacher Aide
Aileen Nelson
Teacher Aide

Eloise Nussbaum
Library Clerk
Pamela Rich
Superintendent's Secretary
Joyce Speakman
Elementary Secretary

Earleen Steffen
Corporation Treasurer
Judy Stetler
Social Worker
Annie Weiland
Reading Aide

Mrs. Epp councils on the phone as **Beth Kipfer** listens.

Mrs. Jackson works hard on keeping school records straight.

OUR STAFF . . . WHAT WOULD

School Nurses-Karen Kaehr, Joy Bertsch.

Bus Mechanic-Dale Bieberich.

Although school ends at 2:55 for most students and shortly afterwards for teachers, many janitors at Adams Central are just beginning their day. Every night blackboards and erasers are cleaned, wastebaskets and pencil sharpeners emptied, desks moved out and swept under, then put back in place and wiped off, ledges dusted, restrooms cleaned, doors locked, and lights turned off.

As early as 8:00 in the morning the cooks start preparations to serve an average of 1,000 students and faculty members in the cafeteria per day.

The nurses had quite a time this year with the flu. They had an average of 30 students a day during the epidemic. It was a real relief when things were back to normal.

Cooks-(First Row) Phyllis Reinhart, Nancy Yoder, Thelma Arnold, Jeanette Stucky, Alice Henschen, Carol Longenberger, Beverly Butler, Linda Call. (Second Row) Betty Schmutz (Supervisor), Crystal Bailey, Marlene Zeigler, Judy Fisher, Alice Hirschy, Betty Hill, Marie Steffen, Pauline Dick.

WE DO WITHOUT THEM??

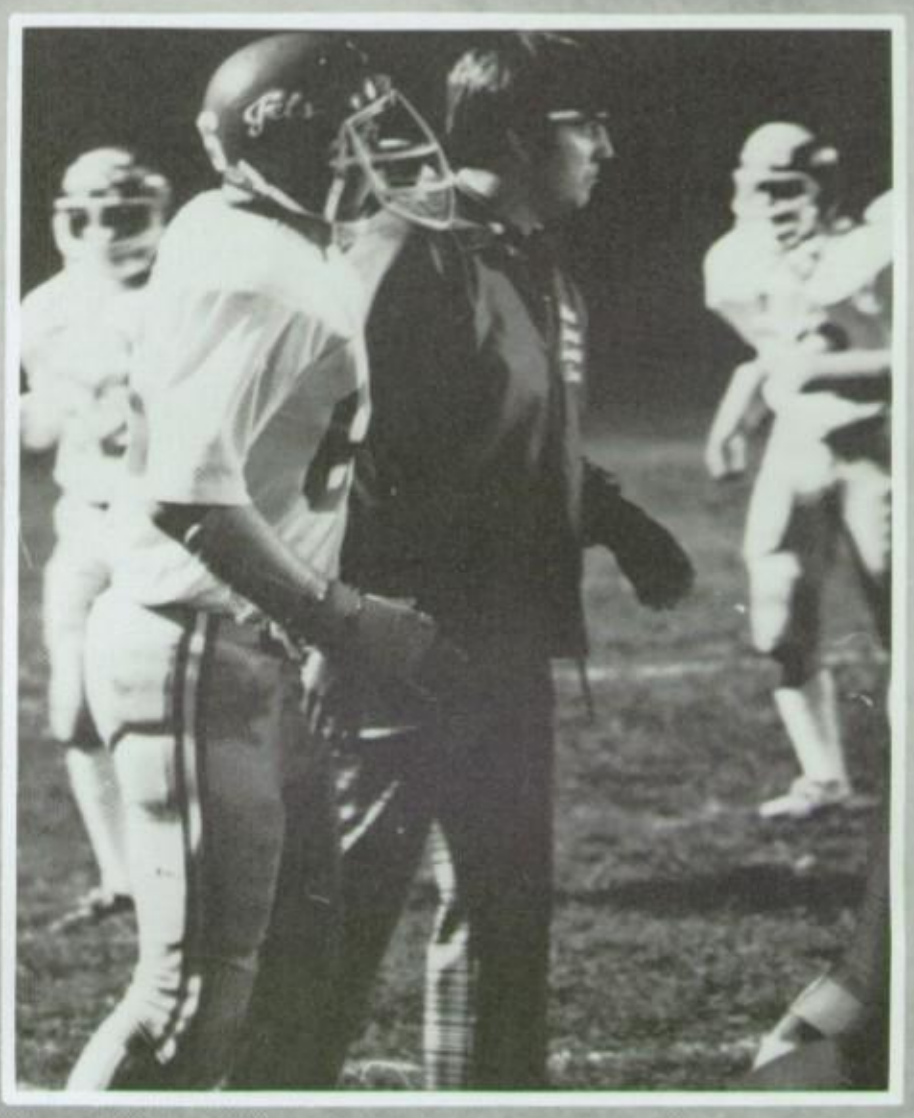
Bus Drivers-(First Row) Charlie Bowers, Loris Rich, Lorraine Griffiths, Joyce Genth. (Second Row) Joan Workinger, Ann Gerber, Cindy Kauffman, Judy Collins. (Third Row) Jim Nussbaum, Rex Kuhn, Luther Engle. (Fourth Row) Wayne Byerly, Charlie Morrison, Bill Workinger, Jack Andrews.

Laundry Maid-Marilyn Gerig.

Custodians-(Frist Row) Larry Wittwer, Claude Dennison, Harold Schwartz, Marvin Watkins, Gene Arnold. (Second Row) Earl Snider, Ken Kuklehan, Roger Braun, Bud Fisher.

School Patrol-Carol Longenberger.

OUR SPORTS LITTLE BIT



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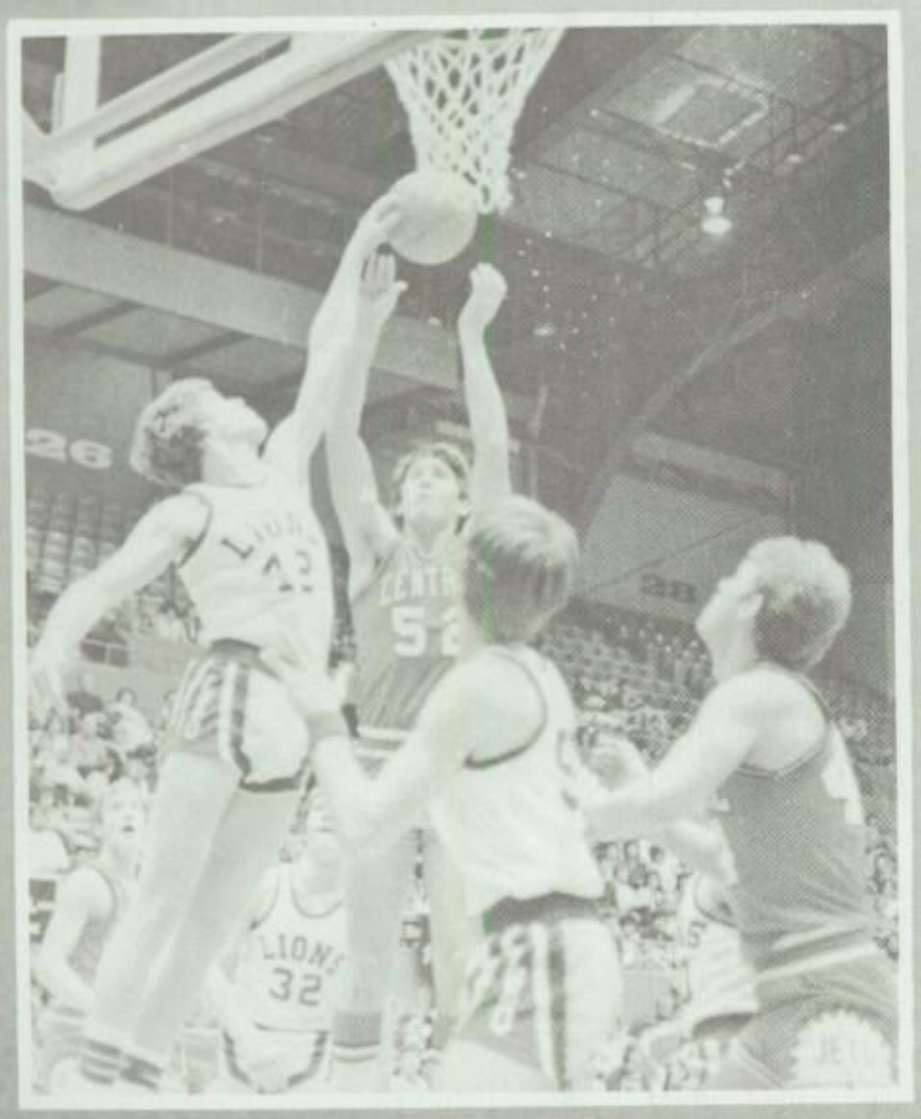
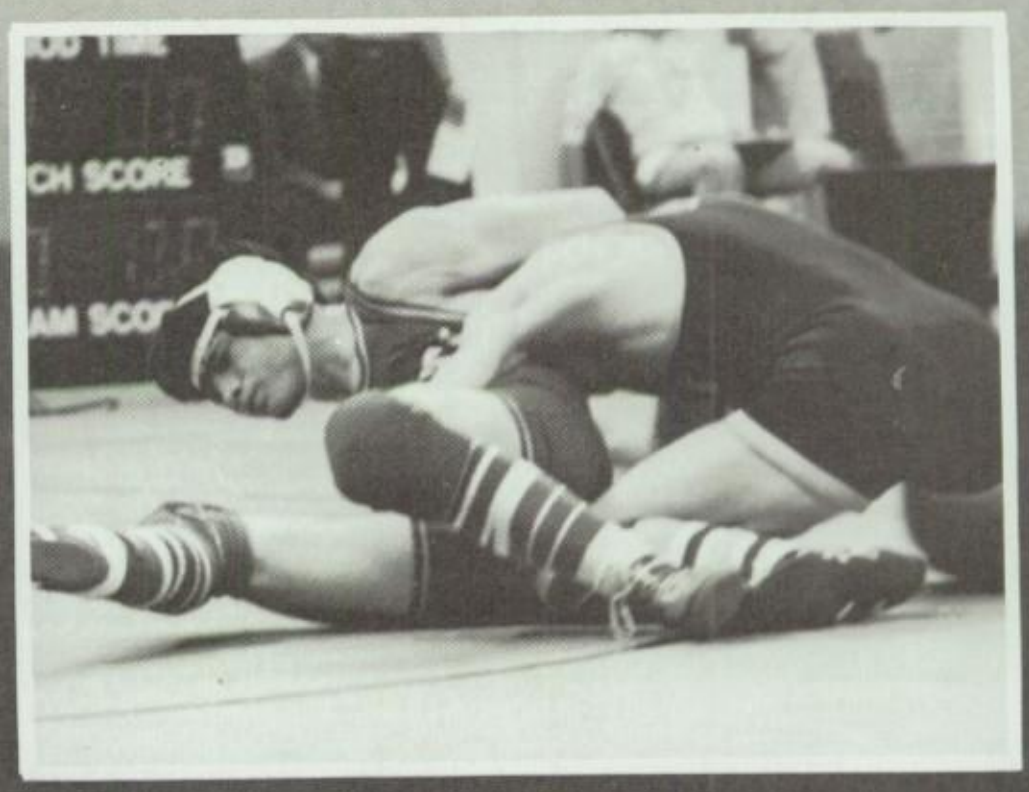
COUNTRY





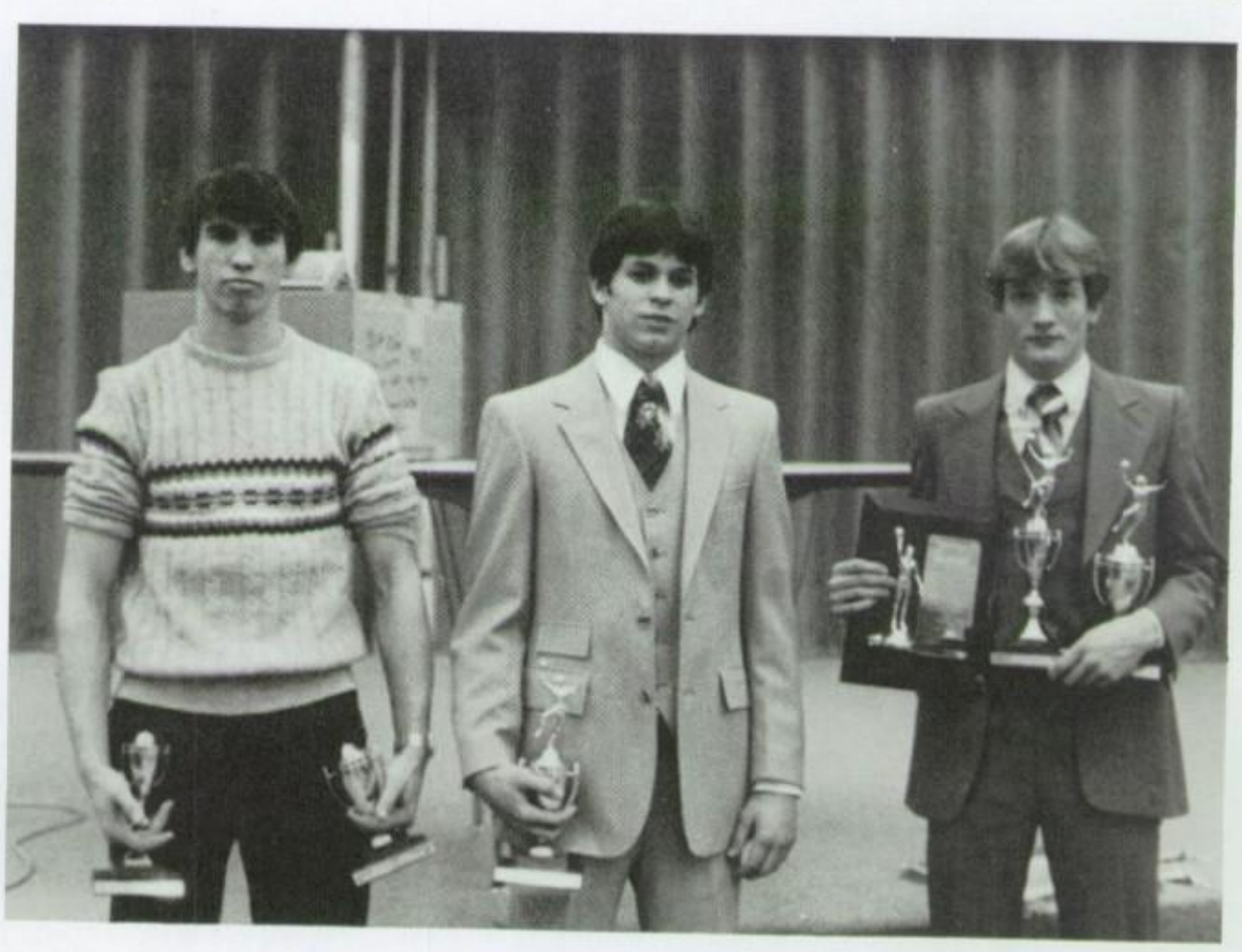
BANQUETS HONOR ATHLETES

Receiving their football awards are **Greg Kaehr, Jim Jesionowski, Gary Manley Nick Ringger, Dean Saunders,** and **Rick Valencia.**

Under the supervision of Athletic Director Mr. Don Rush, the fall and winter Sports Banquets were held in the lecture area. Each time in the library a carry-in dessert and salad smorgasboard was held.

Awards were handed out before and after eating. Players were honored for their outstanding abilities in their respective sport.

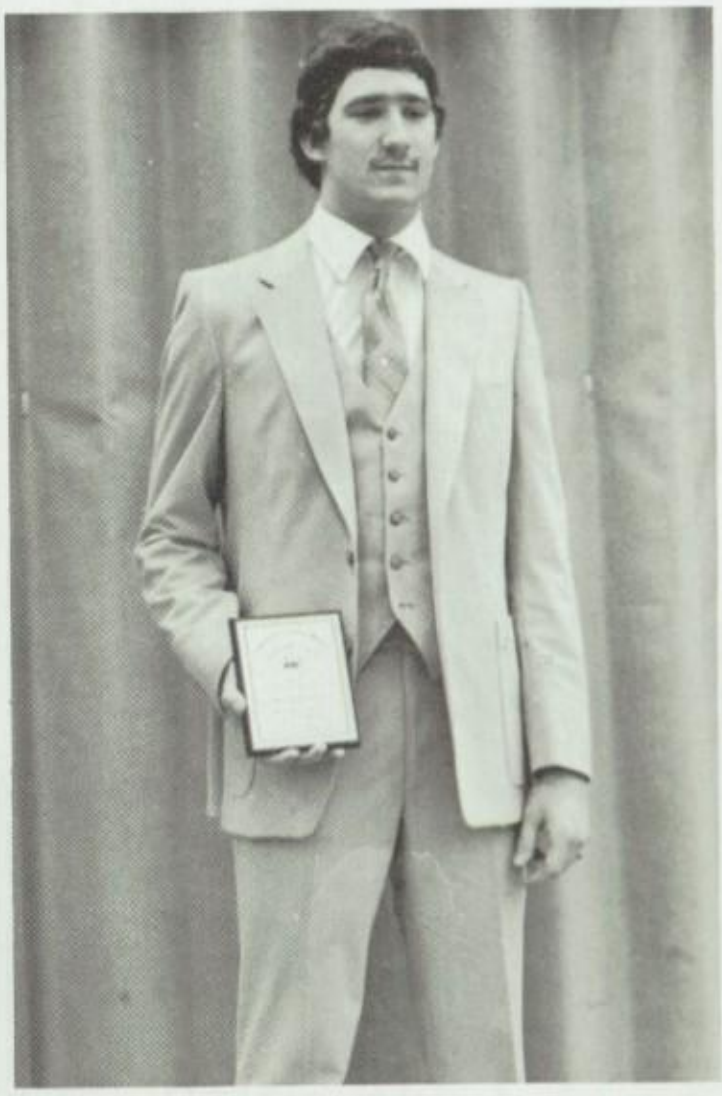
Junior **Debbie Kahlert** receives most valuable player and best serving percentage awards in volleyball.



Basketball award winners are **Gary Mitchel, Daren James,** and **Andy Lehman.**

Freshman basketball players **Dan Lehman, Darin Liter,** and **Roger Fox** receive their awards.

Brian Fenning holds his Most Valuable Player award for basketball.



Max Barger and **Farrel Zurcher** receive their awards for cross country.

State Finalists Leroy Striker and **Mike Gremaux** receive their awards won during wrestling.

YOUNG HARRIERS SURVIVE SEASON WITH ENTHUSIASM

CROSS COUNTRY TEAM-(First Row) Tracy Zurcher, Roger Fox, Rhoda Longenberger, Gary Weil, and Brian Amstutz. (Second Row) Coach Steve Mugg, Max Barger, Bruce Gagle, Farrell Zurcher, and Ted Brunner.

The cross country team, under Coach Steve Mugg, faced a long season. The Jets placed sixth in ACAC with a record of 2-5. With tough dual and tri-angular competition the harriers forged a 3-14 overall record.

The team learned to run to better their own individual times and enjoy themselves.

Led by three-year letterman Farrell Zurcher, who set the school record for 5000 meters with a time of 17:41, the Jets continued to improve as the season progressed.

"I had a good time in cross country and it built up my endurance," commented Rhoda Longenberger, the first girl ever to be on an A.C. cross country team.

Concentrating on his pace **Gary Weil** passes the two mile mark at Jay County.

The Jets take time out from warm-ups to discuss Bellmont's course.

Captain Max Barger breathes a sign of relief after the race.

Roger Fox congratulates team member **Brian Amstutz** on a fine race.

Determination shows in the faces of the young harriers at the starting line.

Freshman **Roger Fox** strives to stay ahead of his opponents.

SCOREBOARD

AC	CROSS COUNTRY	OPP
70	Bellmont	15
	Bluffton	55
67	Jay Co.	21
	Winchester	42
86	Heritage	24
	Carroll	32
35	Paulding	22
	Parkway	73
41	Southern Wells	20
	Churubusco	71
29	South Adams	28
16	Woodlan	42
73	Norwell	20
	Leo	43
40	Huntington Cath.	15

Heritage Cond.	10 of 12
Churubusco Inv.	19 of 25
Limberlost Inv.	6 of 6
Jay County Inv.	10 of 12
ACAC	6 of 8
Bi-County	6 of 6
County	3 of 3
Sectional	11 of 12

GIRLS CLAIM

RESERVE VOLLEYBALL TEAM-Michelle Beer, Kim Ivins, Janalee Middendorf, Becky Archer, Paula Black, Donna Hartman, Dove Vanhorn, Lisa Gerber, Sharon Strayer, Assistant Coach Cheryl Rumple, Coach Terri Carr.

The 1980 volleyball team finished fourth in the final Conference standings with a 4-3 record, much improved over last years 3-5. The Jets ended the season falling one victory short of a Sectional Championship, losing to Bellmont in the finals of the Jay County Tournament.

"Young but mighty" adequately described the team as they finished with a record of 10-14. Seniors Laura Middendorf and Cheryl Rich served their teammates as Co-Captains.

Debbie Kahlert received trophies for having the year's best serving percentage (94%) and for being chosen MVP for the second consecutive year.

Kahlert, Middendorf and Rich along with Jodi Smith, received Honorable Mention all-conference selection.

SCOREBOARD

RESERVE VOLLEYBALL

Elmhurst	4-15, 15-12, 15-12
Winchester	15-8, 15-6
North Side	11-15, 15-7, 8-15
Bluffton	15-4, 15-7
Parkway	14-16, 15-13, 15-11
Northrop	18-16, 1-15, 6-15
Bishop Luers	0-15, 15-17
Heritage	10-15, 15-8, 15-4
Huntington Cath.	15-0, 15-2
Jay County	15-4, 15-11
Leo	5-15, 11-15
Bellmont	13-15, 15-7, 5-15
South Adams	15-6, 15-2

Kim Ivins and **Paula Black** follow the flight of **Lisa Gerber's** bump.

Paula Black bumps the ball as **Janalee Middendorf** anticipates the next move.

SECTIONAL RUNNERS-UP

Debbie Kahlert backsets while her teammates look on.

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM- Becky Bauman (Mgr.), Lynne Gagle (Mgr.), Jodi Smith, Laura Middendorf, Lori Dick, Debbie Kahlert, June Gerber, Deanne Lehman, Cheryl Rich, Anna Laitinen, Ronda Byerly, Debbie Brown (Mgr.), Sharla Vandeventer. (Back center) Assistant Coach Cheryl Rumple, Coach Terri Carr. (Center front) LeAnn Manley (Mgr.).

Jodi Smith psyches herself up for the next serve.

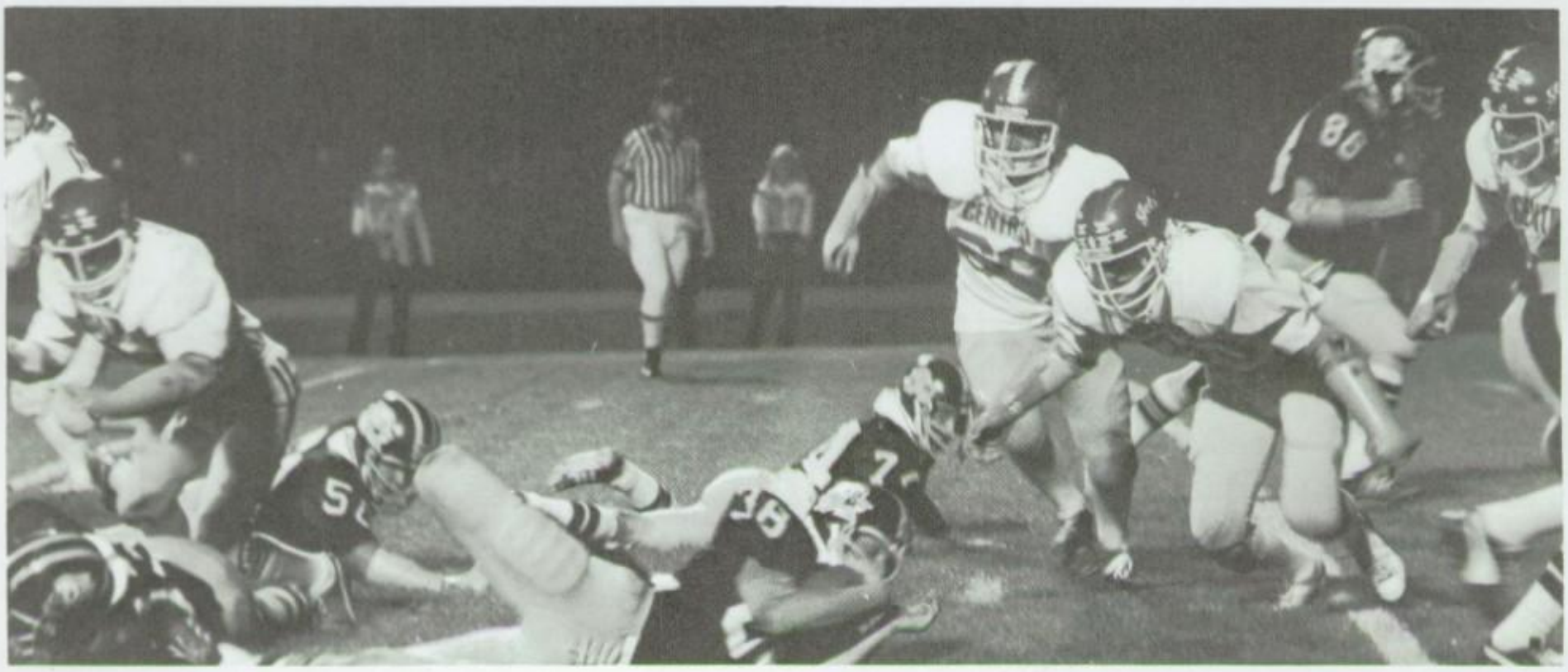
SCOREBOARD

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

Elmhurst	16-14, 15-6
Winchester	5-15, 8-15
North Side	1-15, 4-15
Bluffton	15-5, 13-15, 15-2
Parkway	7-15, 8-15
Northrop	11-15, 5-15
Bishop Luers	13-15, 6-15
Woodlan	15-3, 15-9
Heritage	12-15, 12-15
Huntington Cath.	15-8, 15-2
Churubusco	15-7, 15-7
Norwell	15-8, 12-15, 15-11
Jay County	15-9, 12-10
Leo	12-15, 14-16
Southern Wells	15-5, 15-4
Bellmont	11-15, 7-15
South Adams	15-4, 13-15, 13-15
Carroll	15-6, 3-15, 14-16
Norwell (ACAC)	11-15, 8-15
Bluffton	10-12, 8-14
Wayne	14-16, 5-15
Sectional	
Winchester	15-12, 15-5
Southern Wells	15-5, 15-7
Bellmont	7-15, 5-15

JETS SHUT OUT THREE FOES

1980 VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM (First Row) Ed Everett, John Heller, Stan Ringger, Alan Foreman, Tom Hill, Dan Nelson, Matt Dick, Joe White, Nick Ringger, Greg Bailey, Ked Snyder, Scott Yoder, Mark Hamilton, (Second Row) Craig Foor, Brad Martz, Troy Mitchel, Carey Free, Timm Ross, Dean Saunders, Ted Barger, Leroy Striker, Jon Eisenmann, Eric Lehman, Brent Lambright, Gary Manley, Matt Ford, Keith Hirschy, (Third Row) Coach Minnich, Coach Carr, Greg Kaehr, Kent Richards, Dale Sprunger, Daren James, Jim Jesionowski, Tod Striker, Rick Valencia, Rex Harris, Bruce Smith, Greg Schultz, Ken McCullough, Gary Mitchel, Scott Smith, Mike Gremaux, Coach Miller.



SCOREBOARD

VARSITY FOOTBALL

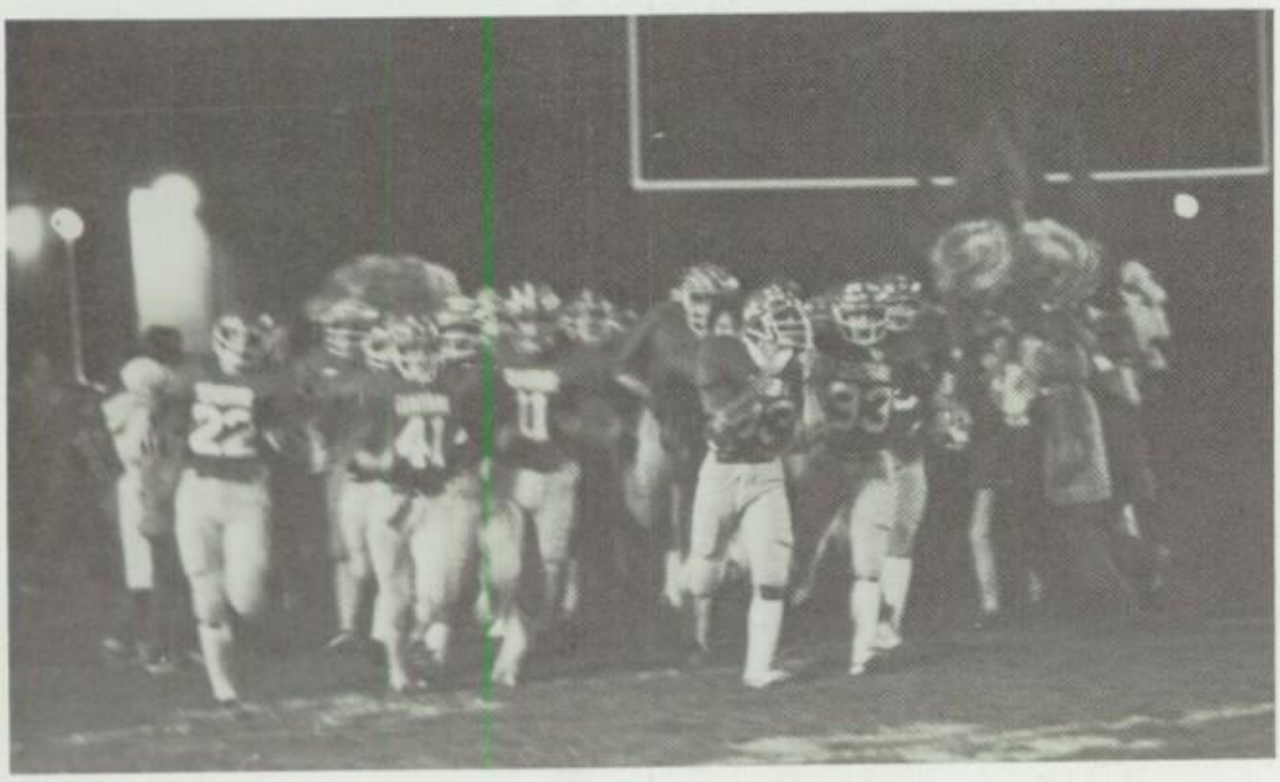
AC		OPP.
8	Leo	14
28	Union City	6
27	South Adams	0
13	Woodlan	26
13	Heritage	0
53	Northeastern	6
26	Southern Wells	0
0	Churubusco	14
7	Fremont	12
3	Norwell	55

Quarterback **Greg Kaehr** tries to outmaneuver a Churubusco defender.

The Jet defense converges on the Fremont fullback.

ENROUTE TO 5-5 SEASON

Junior **Brent Lambright** carries the ball for another first down for the Jets.



The Jets get fired up as they run out on the field to face another opponent.

With a very strong start of the 1980 season, the Jets were once at 5-2, but ended the season with a successful 5-5 mark.

The highlight of the season was Homecoming night when the Jets rolled over Northeastern, 53-6. The Jets also fought for three shut-outs, one against county rival South Adams, 27-0, walking over Heritage 13-0, and stomping Southern Wells, 26-0.

"I think football was fun this year, and many seniors came through which is what it's all about-putting it all together," stated Coach Minnich. He also noted, "It was a good season, and we met some of the challenges in front of us. Although we didn't meet our 7-3 goal, we are always striving for more, and that's what we'll be looking for next year."

Much deserved honors were given to two seniors, Rick Valencia, and Gary Manley, for their outstanding play as defensive back and lineman on the ACAC All-Conference Team, and on the All-State Honorable Mention list. Other members chosen on the ACAC All-Conference Honorable Mention team were: Tod Striker, Nick Ringger, and Jim Jesionowski.

Team Captains Gary Manley and Greg Kaehr were honored with a plaque at the Fall Sports Banquet. Most Valuable Lineman was awarded to Jim Jesionowski, and the MVP award for offensive back went to Nick Ringger.

The Jets finished at 5-5 overall, and 2-4 in the conference.

RESERVE LOSSES CLOSE

RESERVE FOOTBALL-(First Row) Coach Randy Miller, Mark Hamilton, Leroy Striker, Craig Foor, Dean Saunders, Kent Richards, Al Foreman, Troy Mitchel, Coach Mike Gremaux. (Second Row) John Heller, Carey Free, Tom Hill, Dan Nelson, Joe White, Matt Dick, Scott Yoder.

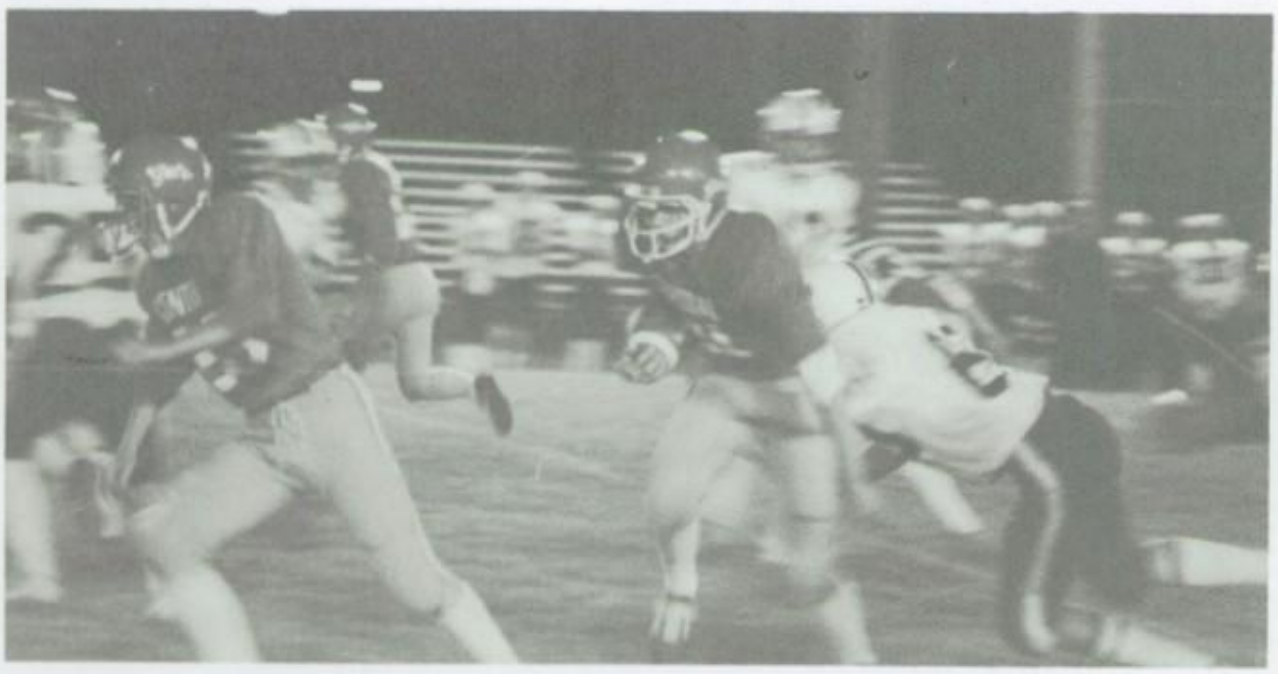
Despite a not so impressive record, the JV Jets did play some impressive football. Although usually out-manned and outsized, the Jets never died in spirit. Many of the gridders had to play both ways.

Every game was close at the end of the first half and the team could have won all but the Woodlan game. The closest contest was against South Adams, where the Jets used their special "Cream Cheese" defense to keep the game close at 8-6.

Coach Miller named Leroy Striker and Dean Saunders as team captains. Saunders was also MVP. Senior Mike Gremaux served as the Assistant Coach and Defensive Coordinator in addition to his regular assignments as manager for the Varsity team.

Leroy Striker turns the corner after a Norwell interception.

Joe White picks up yardage behind the blocking of end **Carey Free.**

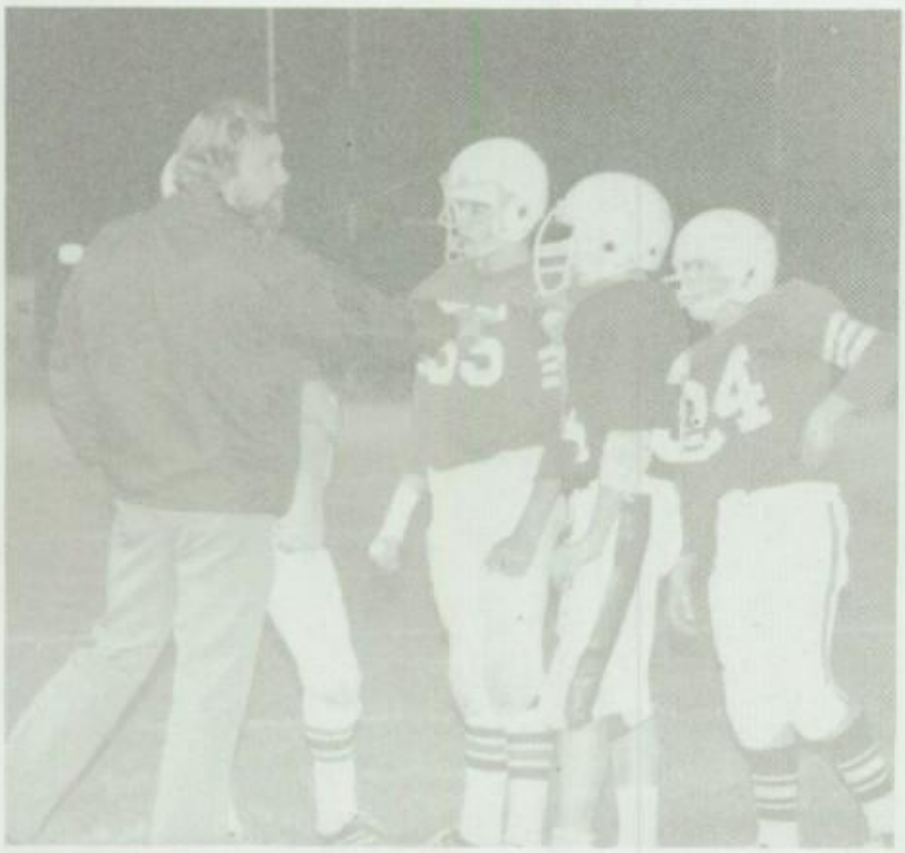


SCOREBOARD

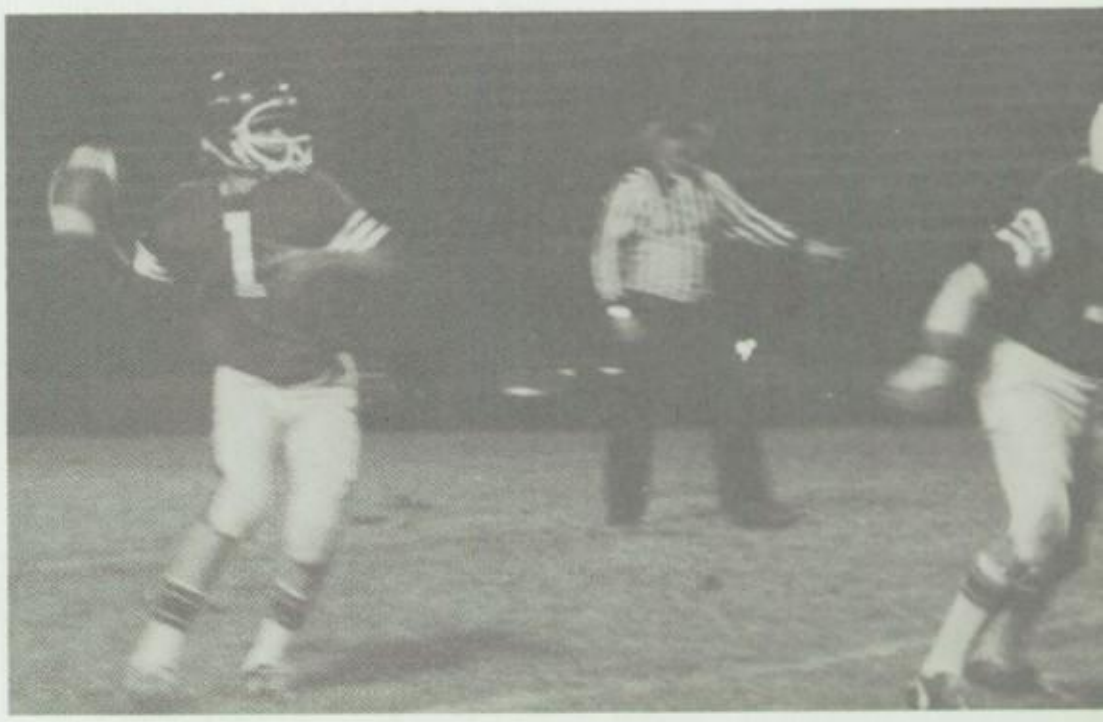
JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

AC		OPP
0	Churubusco	0
0	Bluffton	8
8	Norwell	24
6	Woodlan	19
6	South Adams	8

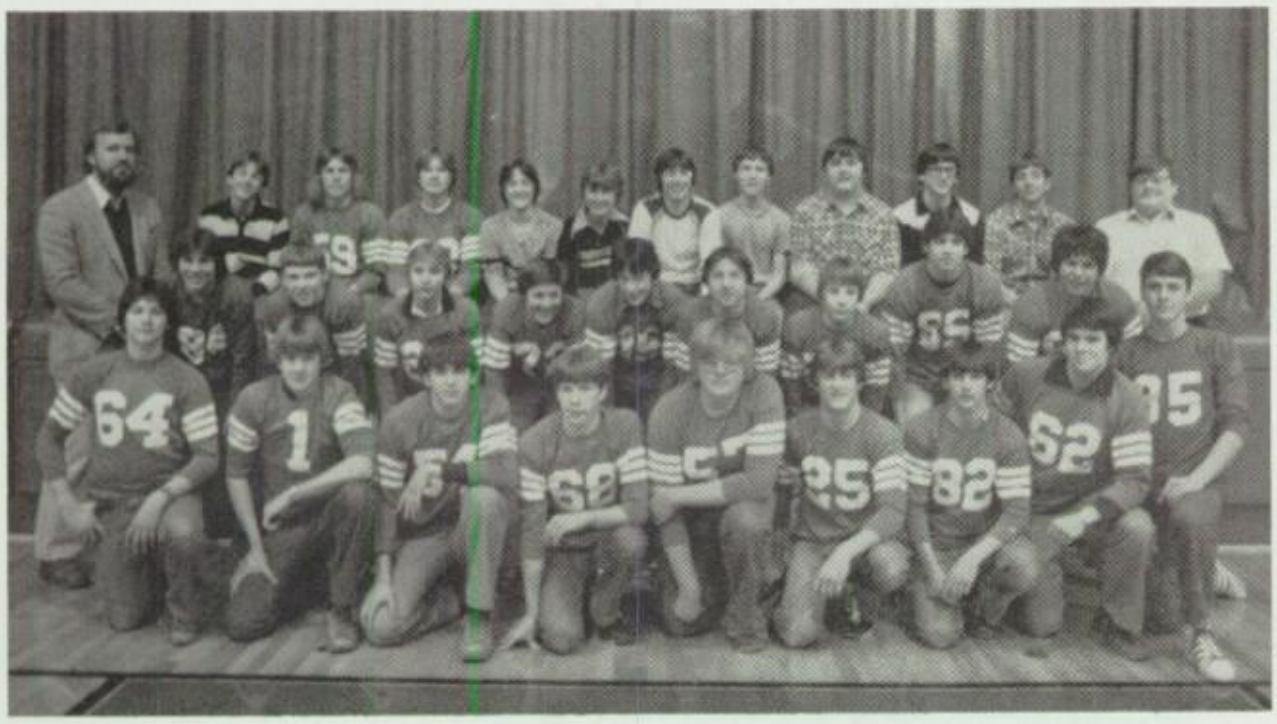
FROSH LOSE ONLY ONE



Coach **Tom Walsh** gives last minute play instructions.



Jeff Brunner looks for his receiver.



Freshman Football Team-(First Row) Gary Strait, Jeff Brunner, Gary Steffen, Pat Miller, Soctt Rauch, Tony Mountz, Daren Liter, Troy Kipfer, Terry Fawcett. (Second Row) Todd Dague, Troy Heyerly, Terry Thieme, Stan Becher, Jim Cox, Ray Ashley, Nat Bryan, Randy Lewis, Pat Kohne (Third Row) Coach Tom Walsh, Hal Kipfer (Mgr), Todd Elzey, Ernie Pyle, Lance Lehman, Doug Schwartz, Greg Yoder, Larry Free, Scott Inninger, Jeff Bertsch, Bob Barger, (Mgr), Coach Calvin Merillat

SCOREBOARD

FRESHMEN FOOTBALL

AC		OPP
42	Heritage	0
50	Bluffton	12
48	Southern Wells	8
6	Bellmont	13
22	Parkway	12
22	Norwell	20
28	Leo	6
14	South Adams	12

Injured **Jeff Bertsch** and **Lance Lehman** give team Support from the side lines.

The long hard season began on August 18 with daily conditioning. Coach Tom Walsh did a superb job in preparing the team mentally as well as physically and by September 4th they were ready to play Heritage whom they defeated 42 to 0. Victories over Bluffton and Southern Wells prepared them for Bellmont which turned out to be their only loss. They finished the season 7 and 1.

"We should have lost to Norwell" stated Coach Tom Walsh. "We played that game without Jeff Bertsch and Tony Mountz, our two leading rushing backs, which made it tough. This was the best season in all the seven years I've coached."

Ray Ashley and Darin Liter received most valuable player awards at the sports banquet.

GIRLS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Girls Basketball Team-(First Row) Julie Litmer, Kim Ivins, Tammy Litmer, Jill Arnold, Michelle Beer, and Janalee Middendorf (Second Row)-Helen Pyle (Mgr.), Donna Hartman, Paula Black, Lori Workinger, Julie Urick, Laura Middendorf, Becky Bauman, and Laura Cook (Mgr.) (Third Row)-Coach Alan Arnold, Dove Vanhorn, Sharon Strayer, Deb Lambert, Rhonda Kohne, Cheryl Rich, Laurie Elzey, and Coach Diana McCullough.

Deb Lambert concentrates on a good follow through at the free throw line.

SCOREBOARD

GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL

AC		OPP
39	Southern Wells	37
31	Woodlan	45
29	Churubusco	45
44	Winchester	45
17	Carroll	40
19	Norwell	33
42	Bluffton	35
37	South Adams	51
35	Jay County (Tourney)	44
24	Bellmont	47
24	Leo	54
21	Leo (ACAC)	56
38	Jay County (OT)	40
36	Heritage	58
35	Bellmont (Sect.)	64

Rhonda Kohne shoots over the outstretched arms of a defender as **Deb Lambert** (24) and **Jill Arnold** (23) look on.

Dove Vanhorn drives toward her teammate **Kim Ivins'** screen.

The 1980-81 Girls Basketball team experienced one of the best seasons that they have ever had with a 2-13 record. The team had eight returning lettermen, four Seniors, one Junior, and two Sophomores. This was a year of improvement, losing too many close games but still coming out ahead against Bluffton and Southern Wells.

The Reserve team was very successful having a record of 12-2. As a first for the team, they brought home the trophy from the South Adams Invitational Tourney.

At the Winter Sports Banquet, Laura Middendorf was awarded Most Valuable Player and Best Free Throw Percentage and Rhonda Kohne was honored for Most Rebounds. Paula Black received a trophy for being Most Valuable Player for the Reserve Team.

Senior players and their parents are recognized at the last home game against Leo.

SCOREBOARD

GIRLS RESERVE BASKETBALL

AC		OPP
36	Southern Wells	15
19	Woodlan	10
21	Churubusco	15
30	Winchester	14
39	Carroll	10
28	Norwell	26
18	Bluffton	13
23	South Adams	14
18	Blackford (Tourney)	10
29	South Adams (Tourney)	15
22	Bellmont	31
17	Leo	15
26	Jay County	19
23	Heritage	30

A Bellmont squaw proves no match for **Laurie Elzey's** rebounding ability.

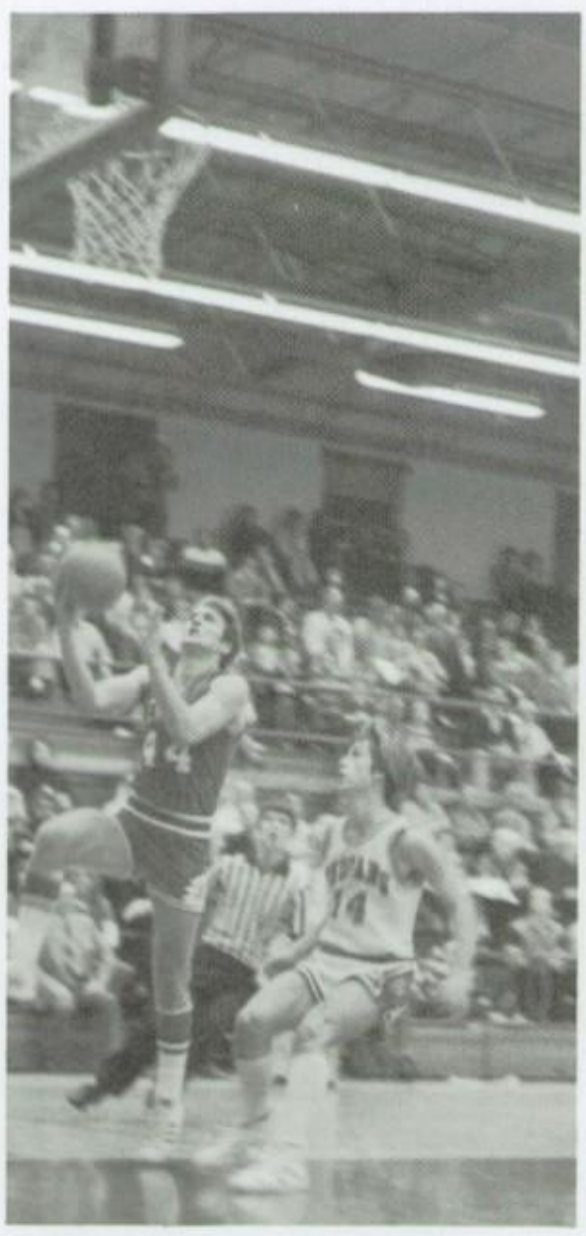
CAGERS GAIN EXPERIENCE

Varsity Basketball Team-(First Row)-Gary Nussbaum, Jeff Lengerich, Bruce Smith, Keith Hirschy, Andy Lehman. (Second Row)-Coach Terry Bantz, Daren James, Greg Kaehr, Brian Fennig, Gary Mitchel, Pat Morrissey, Trainer Chad Bryan, Assistant Coach Jim Reinking.

SCOREBOARD

VARSITY BASKETBALL

AC		OPP
53	Southern Wells	57
54	Southwood	36
60	Parkway	58
55	South Adams	61
46	Carroll	50
57	Churubusco	58
36	Union City	34
53	Leo	50
60	Huntington Cath.	48
47	Blackford	71
35	Leo (ACAC)	46
65	Winchester	83
70	Eastbrook	68
62	Bluffton	73
52	Bishop Luers	57
51	Bellmont	56
54	Heritage	58
54	Norwell	86
71	Woodlan	60
50	South Adams (Sect.)	47
51	Southern Wells (Sect.)	67

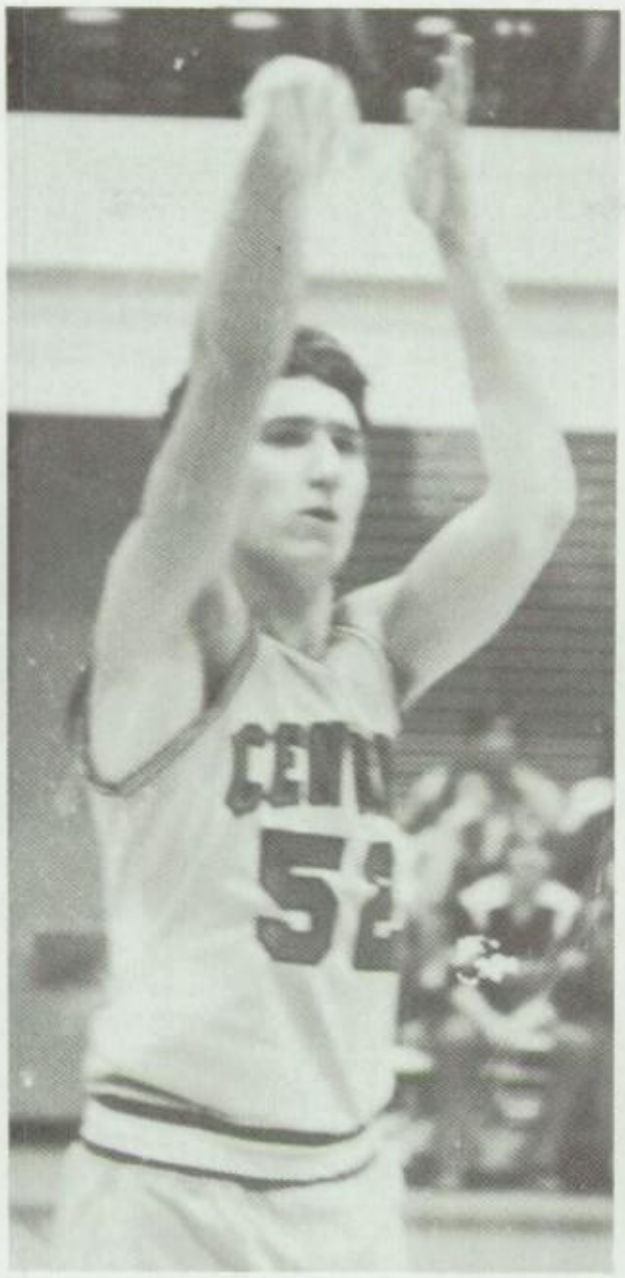


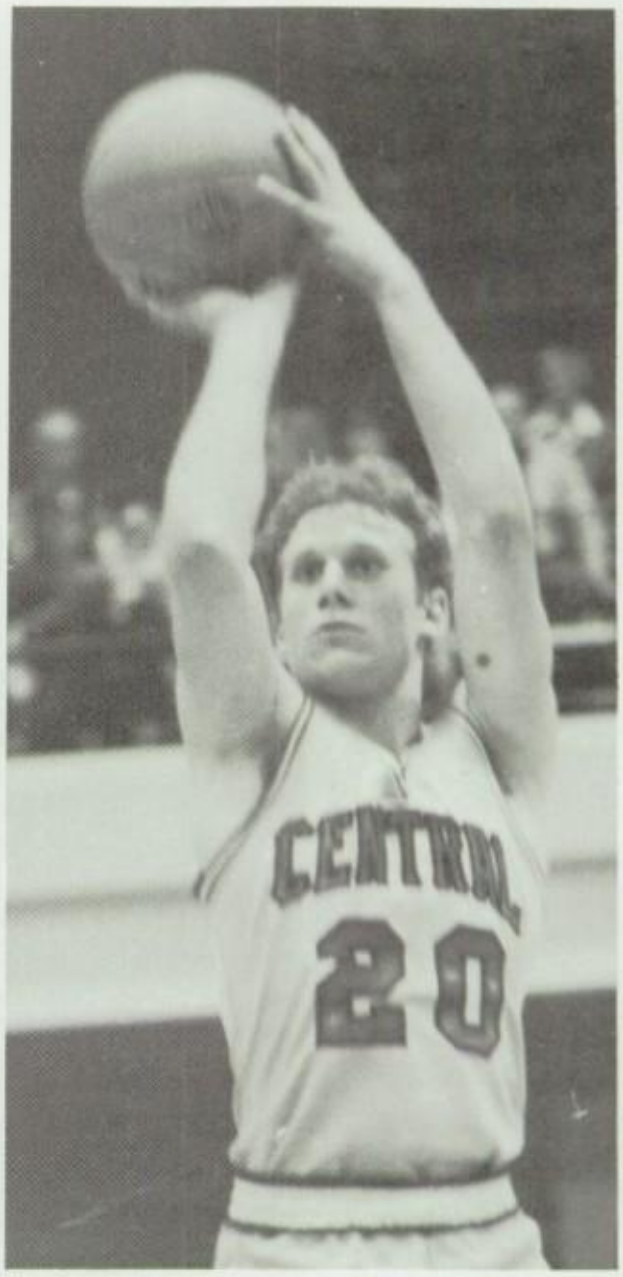
Pat Morrissey pulls up for his patented 15 foot jump shot against a Union City Indian.

Driving for two more, **Greg Kaehr** out hustles his opponent.

Brian Fennig and **Jeff Lengerich** display their expert shooting form.

Gary Mitchel displays his shooting expertise as **Pat Morrissey** and a Norwell defender look on.





Greg Kaehr takes his Union City defender baseline to start the offensive pattern.

Inexperience would seem to be the best word to describe the 1980-81 varsity basketball team. With only three returning lettermen and the majority of the varsity squad having very little prior varsity experience, it was definitely a rebuilding year.

Plagued by illness and injury, Coach Bantz was forced to go to his bench more often than in the past. Besides gaining valuable experience, the Jet bench proved to be one of the most important parts in the "Big Red Machine."

At the Sports Banquet Senior Andy Lehman was the recipient of the Robert W. Shoup Award for outstanding academics and mental attitude. Brian Fennig was named Most Valuable Player.

Although the Jet cagers ended with a 8-13 record, the future seems to be getting brighter.

RESERVES SHOW POTENTIAL

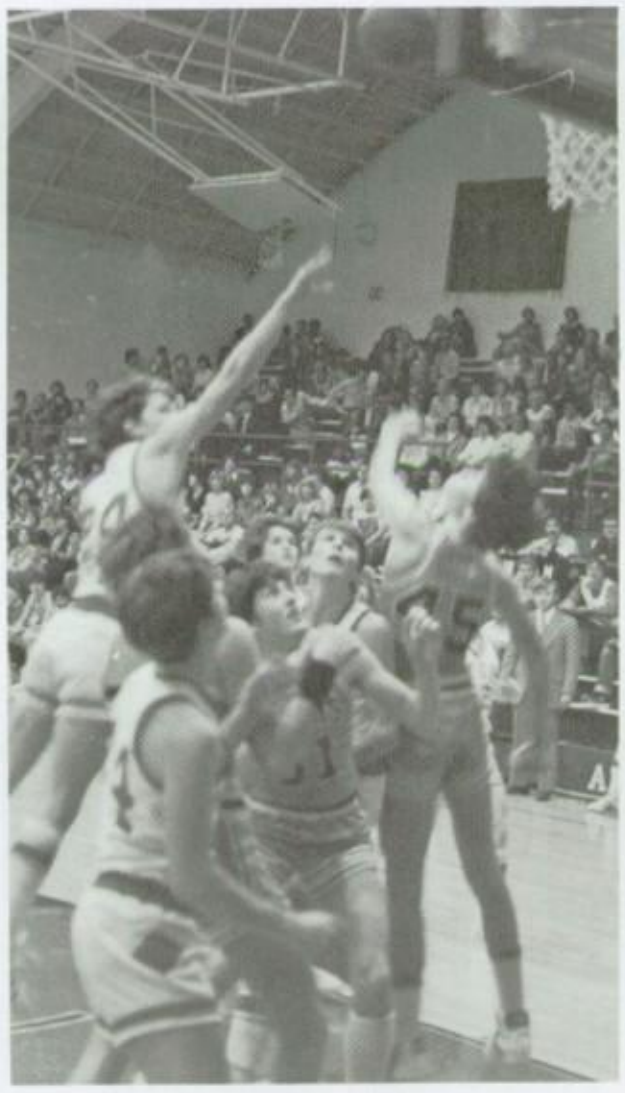
Reserve Basketball-(First Row) Dan Nelson, Troy Mitchel, Matt Dick, Carey Free, Wes Newsome (Second Row) Coach Jim Reinking, Steve Heimann, Terry Fawcett, Randy Bluhm, Mark Hamilton, Brad Martz, Bob Barger (Mgr.)

The 1980-81 basketball season wasn't particularly good record-wise for the JVers, who ended the season at 5 wins and 13 losses. They did, however, show a lot of potential for the varsity team.

The main thing the cagers lacked this year was experience. The team's efforts centered around readying themselves for next year.

Freshman Terry Fawcett copped the Most Valuable Player Award, leading the scoring, rebounding, and blocked shots categories. Troy Mitchel, a sophomore, took both the Best Defensive Player and Freethrow Percentage awards winning the latter with a .745 shooting average. Sophomore Matt Dick won the Hustle Award.

Matt Dick looks for an open pass.



Everybody jockeys for position as the rebound caroms off the backboard.

SCOREBOARD

RESERVE BASKETBALL

AC		OPP
31	Southern Wells	41
34	Southwood	39
57	Parkway	47
40	South Adams	41
29	Carroll	52
28	Churubusco	30
35	Union City	26
29	Leo	47
45	Huntington Cath.	29
31	Blackford	50
31	Winchester	36
28	Eastbrook	42
27	Bluffton	62
48	Bishop Luers	42
41	Bellmont	56
30	Heritage	34
39	Norwell	44
34	Woodlan	33

FROSH HAVE BEST SEASON

Freshmen Basketball-(First Row) Jay Deathe (Mgr.), Tracy Zurcher, Gary Weil, Roger Fox, Dan Lehman, Brian Amstutz, Jim Moeshberger (Second row) Coach McIntosh, Jamie Deathe, Troy Heyerly, Mark DeArmond, Pat Miller, Geoff Schaadt, Jay Grube, Darin Liter, Todd Swygart (Mgr.).

SCOREBOARD

FRESHMEN BASKETBALL

AC		OPP
48	Bellmont	37
42	New Haven	36
43	Norwell	45
46	Salamonie	40
38	Heritage	28
68	South Adams	22
45	Southern Wells	42
41	Jay County	37
30	Bellmont	36
51	Bluffton	36
62	Parkway	37
38	Woodlan	36

The freshmen team finished the year with a record of 10 wins and 2 loses. This is the best record ever by a freshmen basketball team at Adams Central.

Coach McIntosh said, "The team was strong in three areas: team quickness, shooting, and it was an excellent full court pressing team."

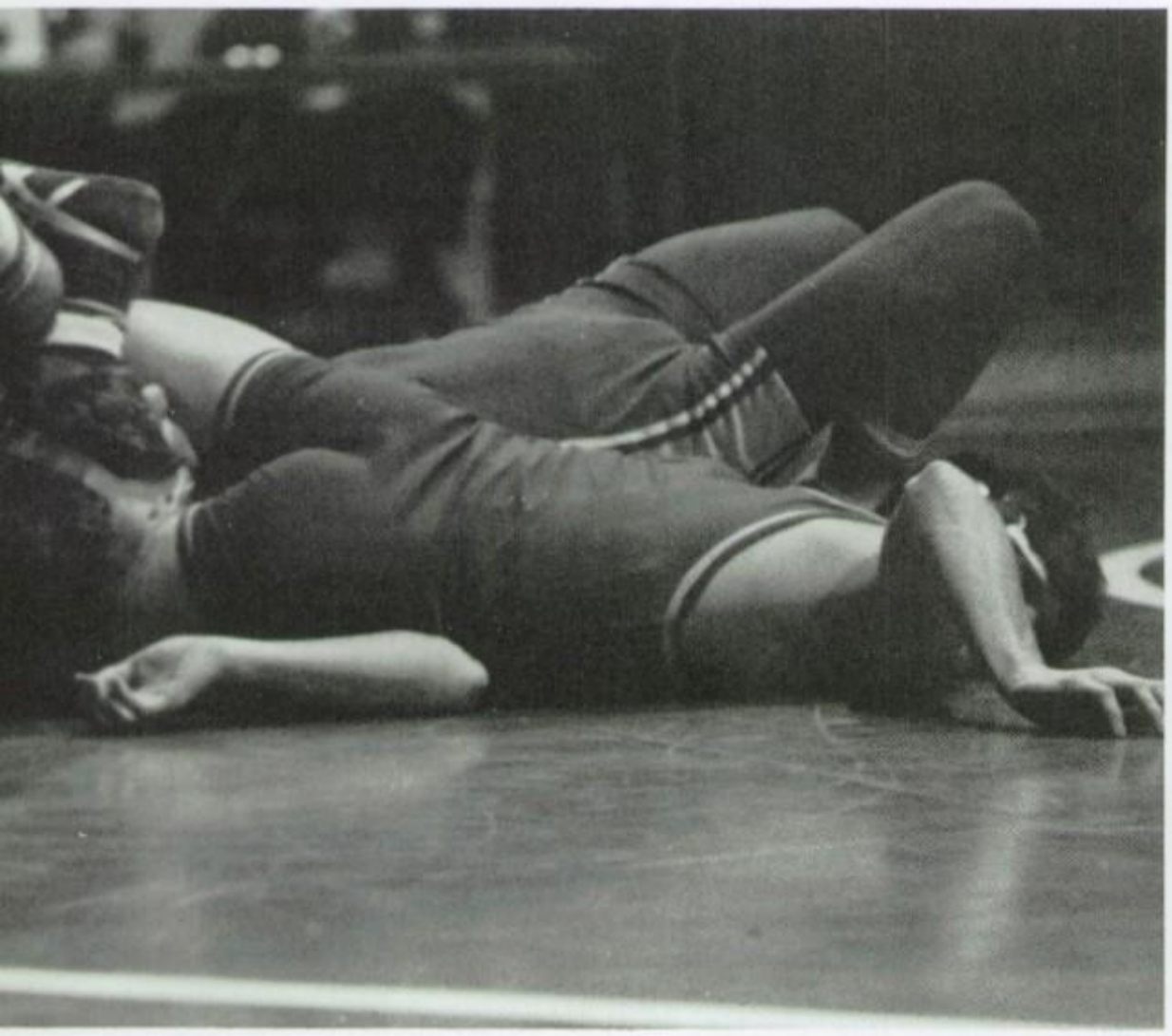
The award winners were: Roger Fox-Most Hustle; Darin Liter-Best Defensive Player; Dan Lehman-Most Valuable Player.

Roger Fox studies intensely as he shoots a free throw.

Darin Liter out-tips his Bluffton opponent.

BAGUBAS DETHRONE BRAVES

Baguba **Mike Gremaux** skillfully performs a figure four.



Coach Humble pleads with a Jet wrestler to calm down.

SCOREBOARD

VARSITY WRESTLING

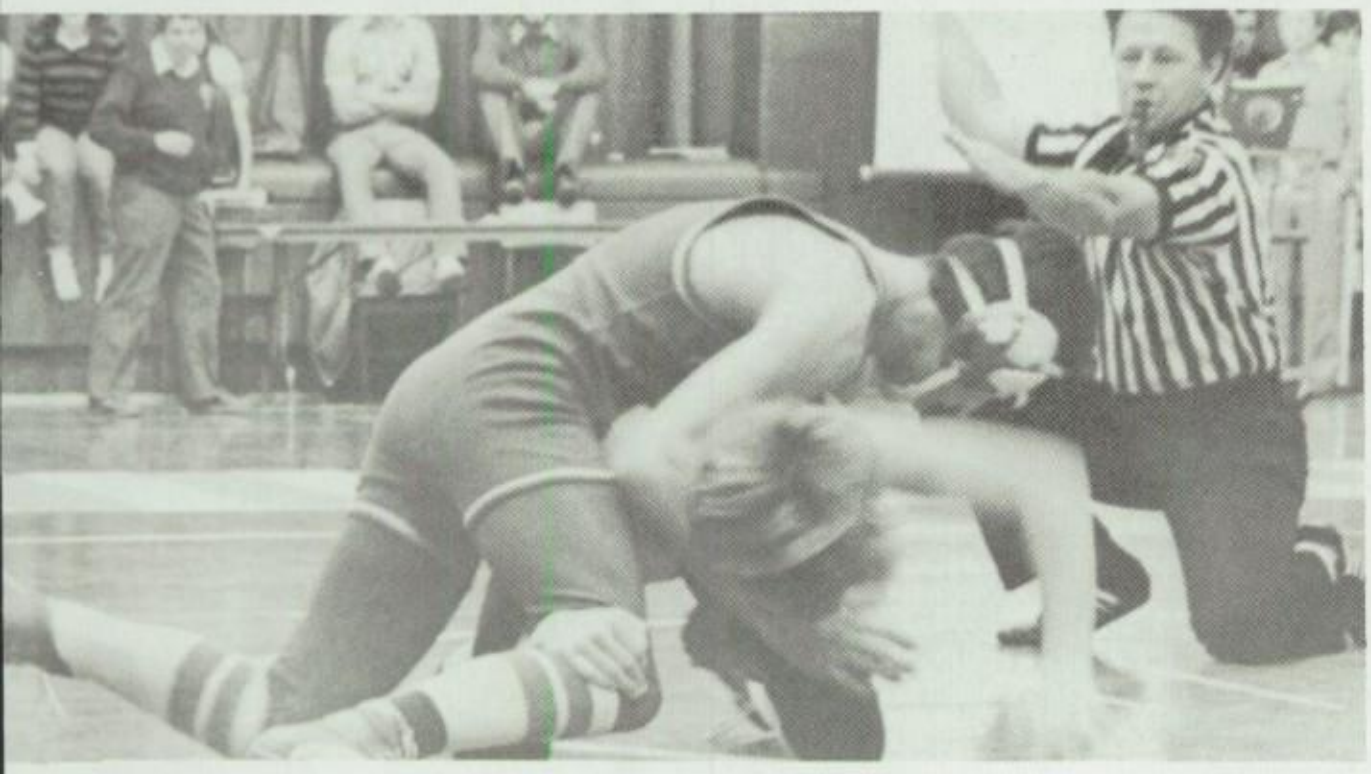
AC		OPP
37	Huntington North	20
69	Churubusco	3
39	Mooresville	19
71	South Adams	3
32	Bellmont	30
54	Leo	18
46	Woodlan	21
40	F.W. South Side	21
24	F.W. Snider	31
45	Carroll	26
55	Norwell	12
71	Heritage	0
49	Bluffton	16

Tournaments

Wrestling Jet 8-way	1st
ACAC	1st
Sectional	2nd
Regional (22 teams)	4th
Semi-State (26 teams)	7th
State Finals	13th

Mat Maids

Varsity Wrestlers-(First Row) **Baguba Girls-**Diane Gremaux, Jill Johnson, LeAnn Manley, and Deb Smith. (Second row) Nathan Gerber (Mgr.), Lance Lehman, Tom Hill, Ray Ashley, Todd Fellers, Mike Gremaux, Leroy Striker. (Third Row) Coach Barry Humble, Assistant Coach Jack Bertsch, Bill Hatten, Dean Saunders, Gregg Schultz, Jim Jesionowski, Timm Ross, Ted Barger, J.T. Andrews, Matt Ford, Jodi Smith (Mgr.), Assistant Coach Lennie Hirschy.



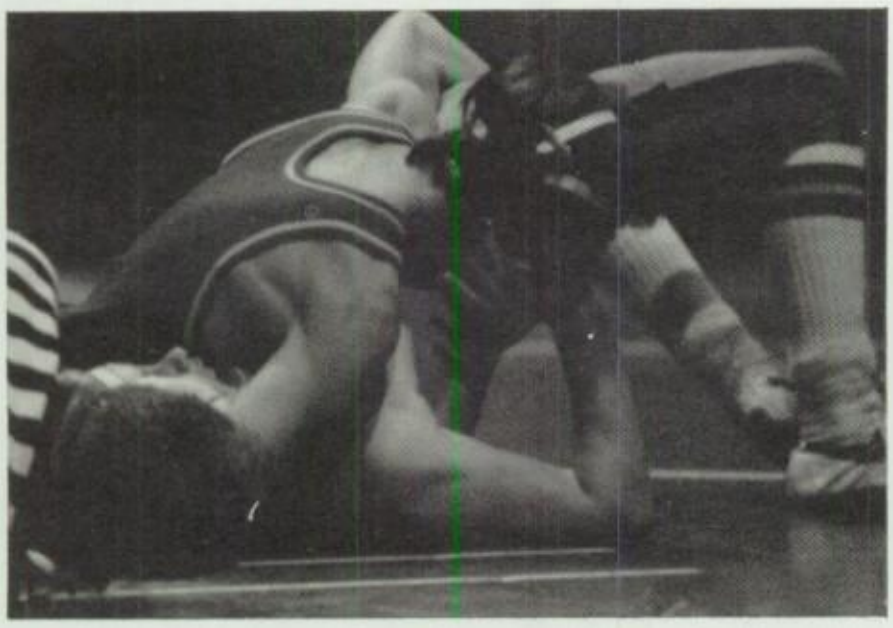
"In spite of toughest schedule ever, AC recorded the best win-lost record in history," commented coach Barry Humble.

After beating 7th ranked Mooresville 39-19, and Bellmont 32-30, there was no stopping the Jets. They went on to place first in the Jet Invitational and the ACAC tourney. Although AC had three champions in the Sectional, it was not enough to defeat the Braves confidence. The BAGUBA'S finished the year at 12-1.

Junior Leroy Striker placed first at Regional and Semi-State competitions. He then went on to place 4th in the State Finals. Leroy captured the most pins record with 18.

Mike Gremaux placed second at the Regional level, placed third at the Semi-State, and then went on to place fourth in the State Finals. From 1977-81 Mike captured the most career victories-68, and most career takedowns-78. He was awarded Most Valuable Wrestler for 1980-81 year. Mike was one of the captains of the successful team along with Seniors Matt Ford and Ted Barger.

Leroy Striker applies a crossface cradle on his opponent during Sectional action.



Freshman **Ray Ashley** pins his struggling opponent.

Coach Humble gives words of encouragement to **Mike Gremaux** at Semi-State.

JV COPS CHAMPIONSHIP

SCOREBOARD

RESERVE WRESTLING

AC		OPP
24	Huntington North	44
64	Churubusco	0
43	Jay County	28
21	Muncie South	42
12	Delta	52
21	Mooresville	48
66	Bluffton	6
29	Bellmont	29
33	Carroll	30
39	Norwell	25
52	Bluffton	5
30	Heritage	3

"C" Team

AC		OPP
18	Huntington North	0
46	Jay County	30
18	South Adams	6
48	Homestead	12
33	Jay County	36

Coach Humble expresses his appreciation to the student body at the ACAC awards session.

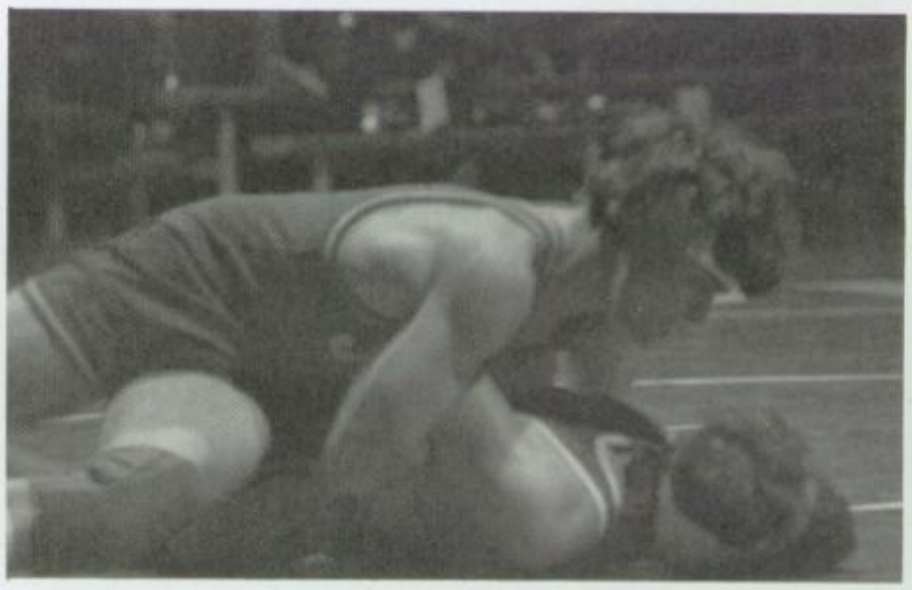
The Reserve team coached by Jack Bertsch and Lennie Hirschy had a successful year with a record of 7-4-1. It included a 64-0 win over Churubusco, and other wins over Jay County and Carroll. The J.V. Jets wrestled their way to a 29-29 tie with arch county rival Bellmont.

John Heller, the 132 lb. wrestler, was voted top varsity prospect for next year by the varsity wrestlers.

"For the first time in ten years the J.V. team captured the Reserve Tournament Championship," commented head coach Barry Humble.

Reserve Wrestlers-(First Row) Sam Schultz, Dean Dabach, Brad Harruff, Brent Lehman, Fred Heimann, Terry Thieme, Nat Bryan, Larry Free, Dary Hirschy, John Heller, Ed Everett, Al Zeigler, Jeff Bertsch. (Second Row) Coach Lennie Hirschy, Tony Mountz, Tim Braun, Kevin Girod, Todd Dague, Pat Kohne, Bill Griffiths, Troy Butler, Coach Jack Bertsch, Rod Harruff, Nick Ringger, Randy Lewis, Craig Foor, Gary Steffen, Troy Kipfer.

At the Sectional **Lance Lehman** struggles to overcome his opponent.



Ed Everett muscles his opponent to the mat.

GOLFERS INITIATE GENEVA

The varsity golf team consisted of one Senior, three Sophomores, and one Freshman. They finished the year with four wins, defeating Southern Wells, Huntington Catholic, Heritage, and Bluffton.

Senior Bruce Gagle was medalist for the year, while Ken Brodbeck received the most improved award.

The golf team enjoyed their season, as they played their home matches at Geneva Golf Course for the first time.

Golf Team-Mark Brodbeck, Mark Hamilton, Bruce Gagle, Coach Art Habegger, Chris Beery, Ernie Pyle, Ken Brodbeck, Keith Fiechter.

Mark Hamilton discusses an unfamiliar course with **Coach Habegger** as he distributes the day's Pro-Staffs.

Senior **Bruce Gagle** displays the form that earned him the medalist of the year award.

NETTERS IMPROVE SEASON

Varsity Tennis Team-(First Row) Deb Kahlert, Julie Litmer, Linda Myers, Lynn Gagle, Jodi Holtsberry, Tammy Litmer (Second Row) Coach Jack Stepler, Ann Tonnellier, Jill Isch, Cheryl Rich, Donna Hartman, Shaun Nussbaum, June Gerber.

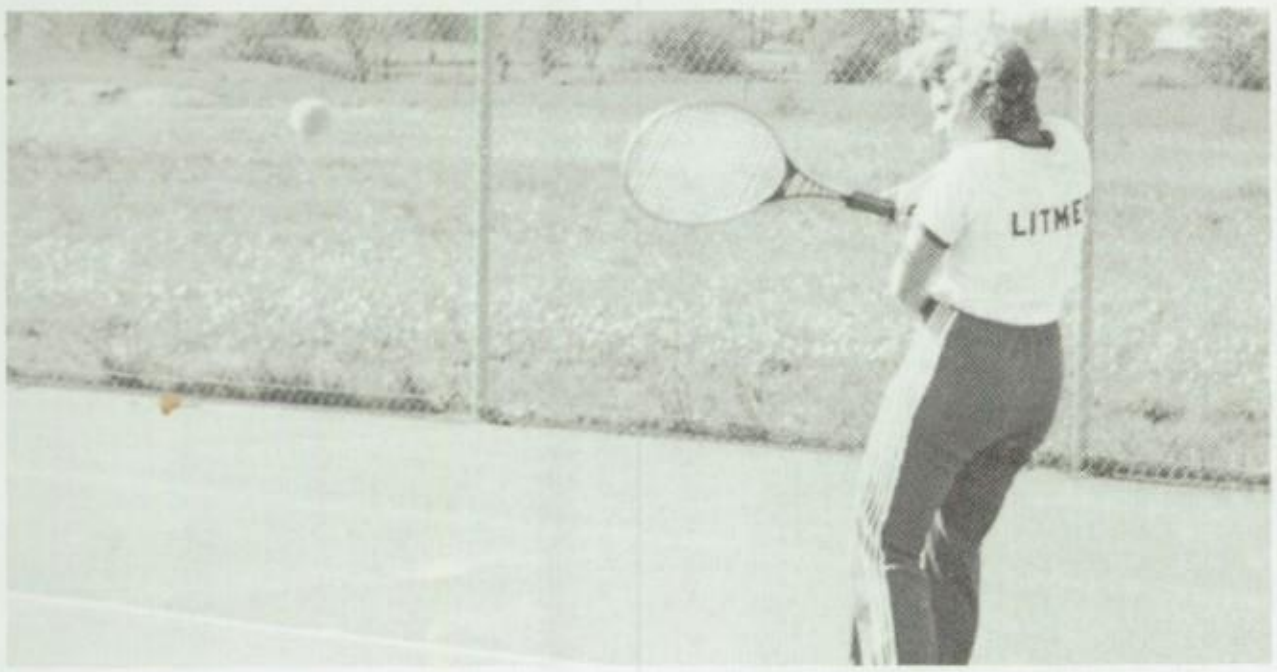
Tammy Litmer practices on her forehand.

SCOREBOARD

AC	VARSITY TENNIS	OPP
2	South Adams	5
2	Bluffton	5
1	Leo	6
2	Norwell	5
7	Jay County	0
3	F.W. Elmhurst	4
0	F.W. Dwenger	7
4	F.W. Northrop	3

Most valuable player **Deb Kahlert** warms up as June Gerber looks on.

Reserve Tennis Team-(First Row) Kathy Hoffman, Tammy Girod, Angie Gerber, Sharla Vandeventer, Kelli Moser (Second Row) Denise Roth, Sharon Haines, Sherri Sprunger, Jill Arnold, Anita Braun, Kim Lyins.



Julie Litmer tries to squeeze in a good forehand.

The girls tennis team improved their record very much over this past year with some very close losses. They ended up with a record of 2 wins and 8 losses, with wins against Fort Wayne Northrop and Jay County.

Cheryl Rich held the number 1 position this year, while Donna Hartman had the most wins with a record of 6-3.

After the season was over the girls traveled to King island to enjoy a day of fun.

Kim Ivins reaches for a low return.

SCOREBOARD

AC	RESERVE TENNIS	OPP
6	South Adams	2
3	Bluffton	1
0	Norwell	2
2	Jay County	0
0	Elmhurst	0
0	F.W. Dwenger	2
1	F.W. Northrop	2

SPRING FULL OF UPS, DOWNS

Varsity Baseball Team-(First Row) Laura Middendorf (bat girl), Matt Dick, Jeff Lengerich, Joe White, Dan Nelson, Lisa Gerber (bat girl), Kim Snyder (bat Girl) (Second Row) Coach Randy Miller, Deanne Lehman (bat girl), Gary Mitchel, Rex Harris, Dan Lambert, Daren James, Keith Hirschy, Andy Lehman, Pat Morrissey.

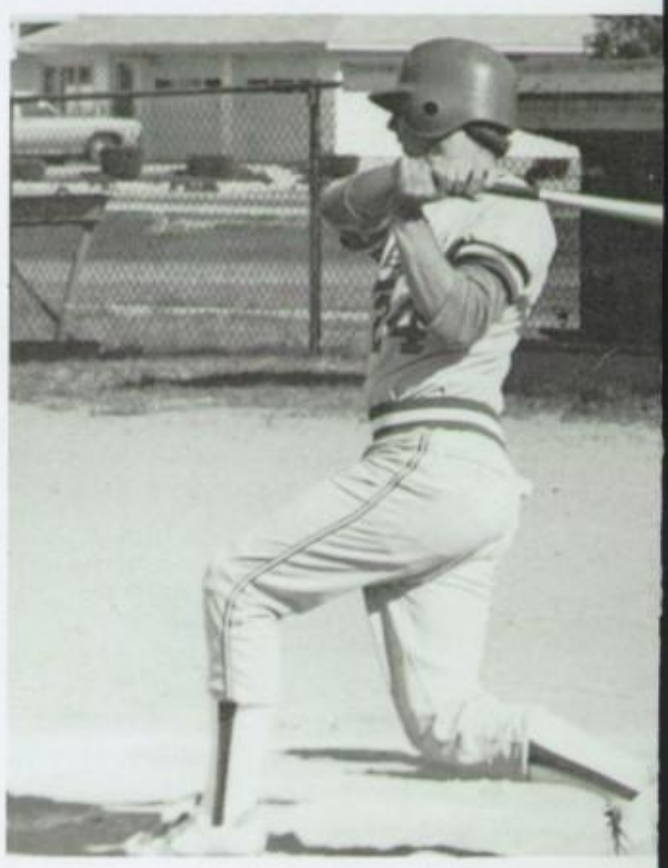
Baseball is a game of discipline, breaks, and luck. This year's varsity baseball team often experience the wrong side of all three. Even before the season started seven of the eight returning lettermen were suspended. The first four games of the season were played by a team made up almost entirely of reserves. The Jets two leading batters were also dropped from the roster in the final two weeks of the season for violating training rules.

Coach Randy Miller's Jets just couldn't fully gel. After evening their record at 7-7, they finished the year with an eight game winless skein. The Jet's final loss came in semi-final action of the Bellmont Sectional when the Norwell Knights broke a 2-2 tie in the bottom of the seventh inning with an unearned run off Jeff Lengerich.

Junior Jeff Lengerich was the squad's only representative on the All-Conference Team, being named as an outfielder. Catcher Gary Mitchel did receive Honorable Mention.

Pat Morrissey was named team captain as elected by the players. Most Valuable Player was Gary mitchel.

Coach Miller hands **Lisa Gerber** the line-up card so she can transfer it to the score book.



Andy Lehman reaches back for something extra in his wind-up.

Daren James advances to third base on a single to left field.

SCOREBOARD

VARSITY BASEBALL

AC		OPP
2	Bellmont	12
12	Huntington Cath.	7
2	Ft. Wayne Dwenger	14
7	Southern Wells	4
8	Winchester	13
3, 5	Monroe Central	4, 2
3	Norwell	4
2	Parkway	0
7	Woodlan	6
5, 8	Southern Wells	10, 5
0	Jay County	10
3	Churubusco	8
7	Heritage	5
2	Leo	6
1	Eastbrook	7
0	South Adams	3
7	Bluffton	10
	Norwell (Sect.)	

Keith Hirschy follows through after making contact.

Team members loosen up their arms before a game.

JAYVEES END SEASON 5-3

Reserve Baseball Team-(First Row) Dan Lehman, Scot Moses, Darin Liter, Roger Fox (Second Row) Coach Hubbard, Brian Byerly, Jeff Brunner, Craig Brodbeck, Jamie Deathe.

Coach Bill Hubbard's Junior Varsity baseball team enjoyed a successful season, finishing the year with a 5-3 record. A number of the freshmen and sophomores on the squad received some valuable varsity playing experience early in the schedule contributing to their early success.

Several juniors played a dual role, dressing for the varsity and reserve games.

The reserve team provided an opportunity for each player to gain experience in a game situation. Coach Hubbard switched players from position to position seeing where each could contribute most.

Dan Lehman strides and watches the ball as he prepares to swing.

SCOREBOARD

RESERVE BASEBALL

AC		OPP
18	Bluffton	3
13	Ft. Recovery	3
1	Norwell	0
4	Bellmont	3
1	Blackford	12
4	Parkway	2
6	South Adams	7
8	Bellmont	7

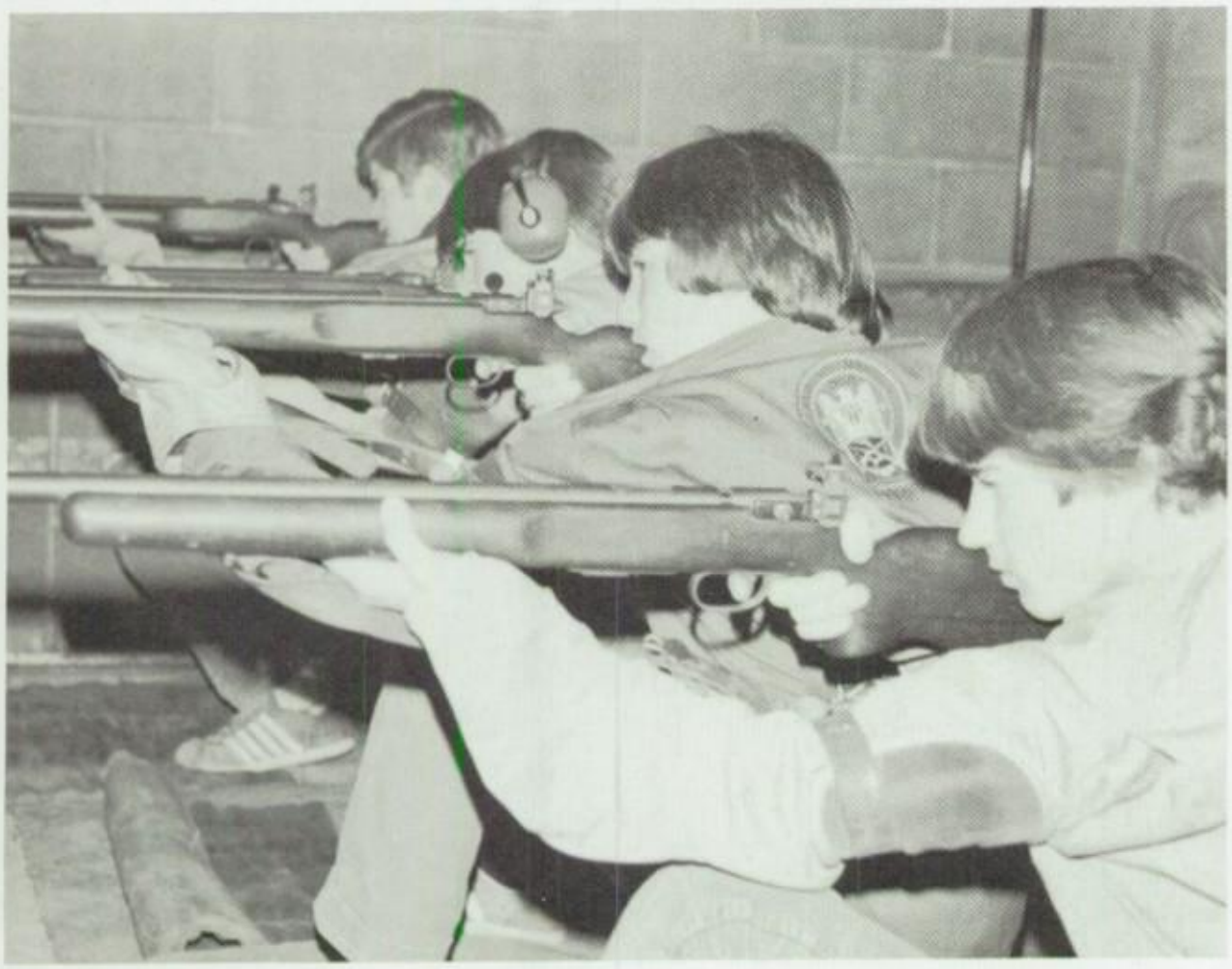
Darin Liter takes the throw to tag the Parkway runner at third base.

BRAUN LEADS MARKSMEN

Varsity Rifle Team-(First Row) Paul Kahlert, Chris Cook, Craig Brodbeck, Ted Brunner, Coach Sam Taylor. (Second Row) Jamie Landis, Anita Braun, Scott Yoder, Lori Dick. (Not Pictured-Randy Andrews)

Senior **Anita Braun** receives most valuable rifle award, while **Doug Schwartz** receives most valuable Freshman award.

Freshmen Rifle Team-(First Row) Greg Klenk, Doug Schwartz, Brian Byerly, Bill Griffiths. (Second Row) Gary Strait, Ernie Pyle, Scot Rauch, Todd Birch, Tom Lough, Tim Clouse. (Not Pictured-Phil Achleman, Dave Zirklebach, Darin McIntosh)



Freshmen practice their kneeling position before the Bellmont match.

The Varsity Rifle Team was represented by nine people. Anita Braun received the top shooter award which was accomplished by achieving the highest score in a majority of the matches while competing against the other members of the Tri-County Marksmanship Association.

The freshmen team consisted of 12 members. The freshmen competed with other teams in the Tri-County Marksmanship Association. The object was to train shooters for the varsity team, teach safety, good attitude, and competitive spirit. The team was successful concerning these items and also produced some winning results.

Hard work and stiff competition characterized the season. The team placed 4th in the Tri-County Shoot-off at the National Guard Armory in Fort Wayne.

TRACKSTERS QUALIFY SIX

Track Team-(First Row) Sid Gerber, Brian Amstutz, Nat Bryan, Terry Thieme, Todd Birch, Tracy Zurcher, Mike Gremaux, and Ked Snyder (Second Row) Coach Tom Hough, Troy Heyerly, Greg Vanhorn, Tony Mountz, Max Barger, Kevin Ivins, Nick Ringger, Scott Workinger, Dean Saunder, Scott Yoder, and Coach Jeff Thomas (Third Row) Coach Paula Youse, Manager Chad Bryan, Richard Gerber, Troy Mitchel, Jay Grube, Ken McCullough, Terry Fawcett, Jeff Bertsch, Brent Lambright, Eric Lehman, Manager Jed Speakman, and Coach Steve Mugg.

Kevin Ivins leaps high in the air to clear the bar.

Kevin Ivins hands **Jay Grube** the baton in the 1600 meter relay.

SCOREBOARD

VARSITY TRACK

AC		OPP
36	Bishop Luers	91
26	Eastbrook	101
49	Parkway	78
25	Bluffton	101
49	Southern Wells	77
30	Winchester	50
	Jay County	79
28½	Woodlan	50
	Leo	80½
50	Bluffton	86
	South Adams	22
30	Heritage	90
	Carroll	39
83	Bellmont	44
35	Norwell	109
	Churubusco	14
South Adams Relays		6th
ACAC		8th
Sectional		15th

SCOREBOARD

RESERVE TRACK

AC		OPP
58	Bishop Luers	16
32	Eastbrook	86
73	Parkway	19
31	Bluffton	83
22	Southern Wells	73
75	Salamonie (Frosh)	51
45	Winchester	0
	Jay County	100
28	Woodlan	46
	Leo	68
33	Bluffton	54
	South Adams	2
32	Heritage	9
	Carroll	28
30	Bellmont	28

Terry Fawcett shows good form in the 110 meter high hurdles.

Ked Snyder outruns Bellmont's Jim Solik for the blue ribbon in the 400 meter dash.

The Boys' track team was very successful in meeting their goals this year. Led by captains Kevin Ivins and Brent Lambright the boys almost clinched their second County Championship but were beaten by Bellmont.

The season produced five new school records: Ked Snyder in the 100 meter dash with a 11.5, the 200 meter dash in 23.5, and the 400 meter dash in a time of 51.7. Also setting records were Terry Fawcett in the high hurdles with a 16.07, and Nick Ringger, Brent Lambright, Mike Gremaux, and Kevin Ivins in the 400 meter relay with a 47.9.

The Jets qualified six runners for sectional and two for regional.

As a tradition the members of the team voted for awards and they were:

Most Valuable Runner-Ked Snyder

Most Valuable in Field Events-Kevin Ivins

Hardest Worker-Jeff Bertsch

Most Improved-Dean Saunders, Terry Fawcett

Highest Varsity Point Scorer-Ked Snyder

Highest Reserve Point Scorer-Dean Saunders

Although the season was not a victorious one, the Jets showed a lot of teamwork and spirit.

HAIL COUNTY QUEENS!

Track Team-(First Row) manager Amy Lengerich, Dina Smith, Mary Ann Donaghy, Valeri Webb, Jana Baumgartner, Cari Parrish, Michelle Beer, LeAnn Manley, Dove Vanhorn, Manager Janice Heimann (Second Row) Coach Paula Youse, Coach Thomas Hough, Janalee Middendorf, Patty Braun, Vicki Kahlert, Kelli Fox, Amy Striker, Lisa Oliver, Ronda Byerly, Paula Black, Audrey Fuelling, Coach Jeff Thomas, and Coach Steve Mugg.

SCOREBOARD

VARSITY TRACK

AC		OPP
25½	South Adams	66
	Bishop Luers	42½
49	Blackford	56
36	Bellmont	32
	Jay County	67
54	Leo	59½
	Southern Wells	20½
54	Bishop Luers	33
	Huntington Catholic	47
27	Carroll	76
	Churubusco	30
41	Parkway	61
	Bluffton	32
40½	Heritage	47½
	Norwell	46
48	Woodlan	55
57	South Adams	48

South Adams Relays	3rd
ACAC	4th
Sectional	5th

Dove Vanhorn gives her all as she takes a first at ACAC.

Janalee Middendorf concentrates on her form as she clears the bar.

SCOREBOARD

RESERVE TRACK

AC		OPP
42	Blackford	21
32	Bellmont	6
	Jay County	28
13	Leo	27
	Southern Wells	45
29	Bishop Luers	25
	Huntington Catholic	72
30	Parkway	83
	Bluffton	0
39	Heritage	38
	Norwell	3
18	South Adams	0

Taking a first in the 800 meter dash is **Patty Braun** with **Paula Black** following close behind.

The 1981 Girls' Track Team had a good season. They finished with a 5-11 record. It was a young, but strong team. There were 7 new school records set. The girls beat both Bellmont and South Adams, to take the honor of being the 1981 Girls County Champs.

This was the first year for South Adams Relays for girls. Adams Central finished third. In the ACAC, the team finished fourth. They took two first place finishes, Dove Vanhorn in discus and Patty Braun in the 800 meter run.

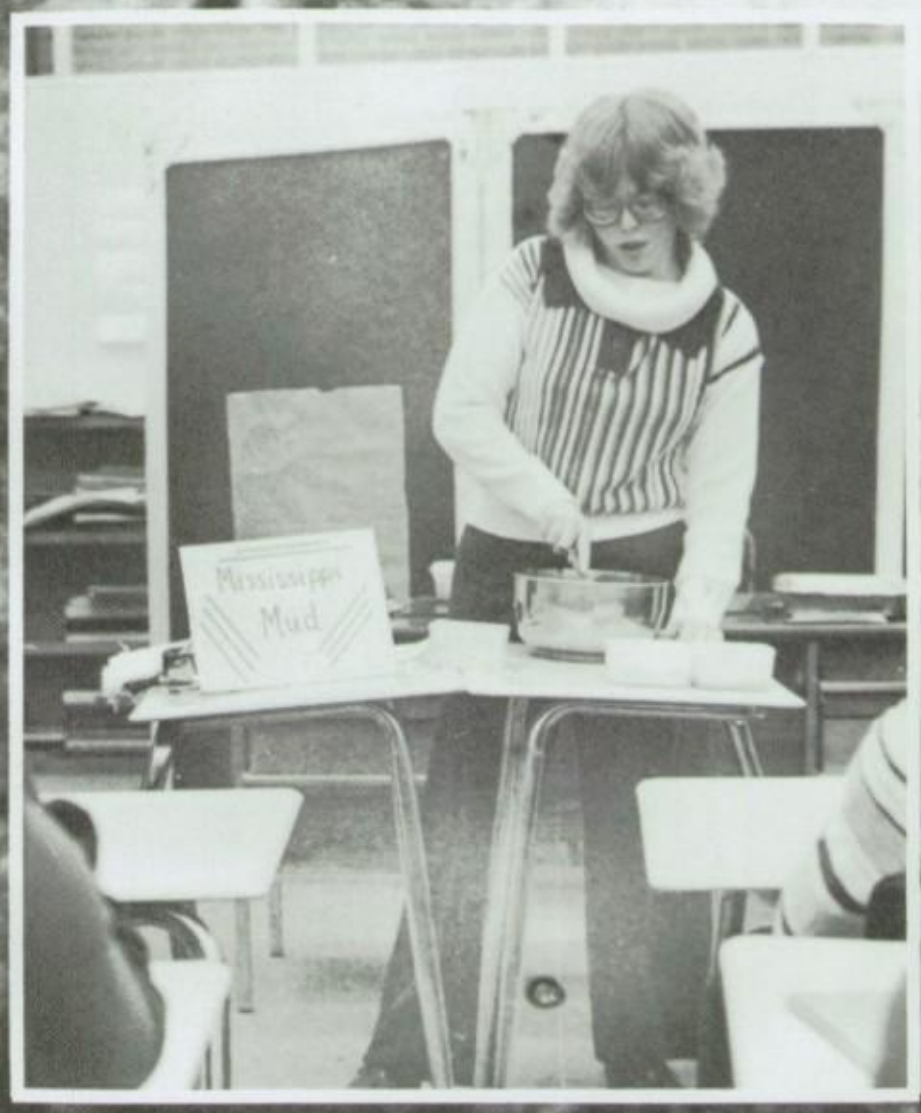
Ten girls qualified for sectional in 6 events. AC placed fifth out of seventeen teams. Qualifiers for regional were Dove Vanhorn in discus, Vicki Kahlert in the mile, Paula Black in 800 run, and the 800 relay team of Cari Parrish, Ronda Byerly, Mary Ann Donaghy and Jana Baumgartner.

At Regional, Dove Vanhorn finished 6th in discus, and the 800 meter relay team also finished 6th.

Jana Baumgartner pushes toward the finish line of the 200 meter dash.

Vicki Kahlert, sets her pace in the mile.

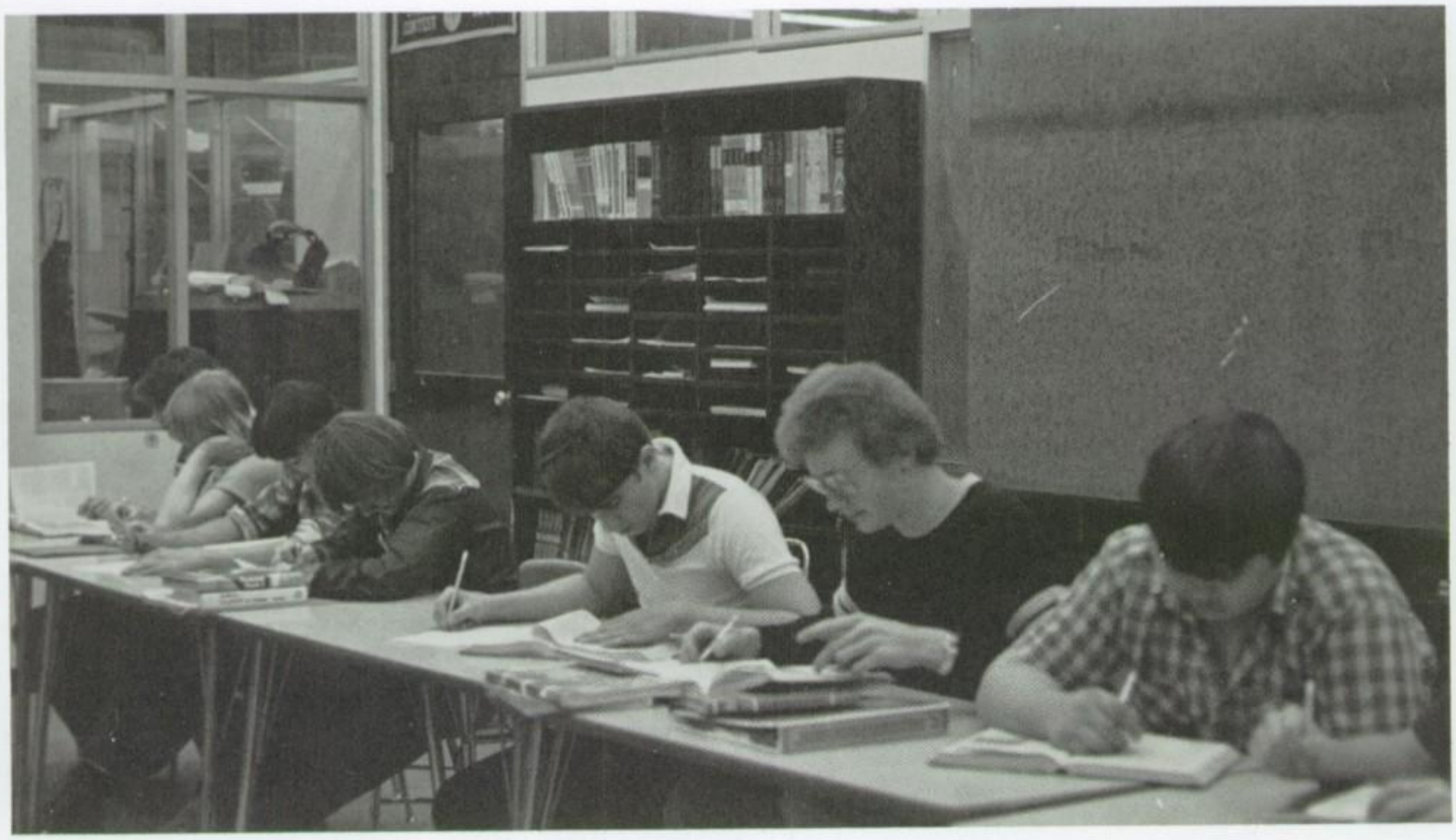
OUR CLASSES LITTLE BIT



ARE A COUNTRY

AGRICULTURE:

The freshmen Ag class finds that learning is hard work.

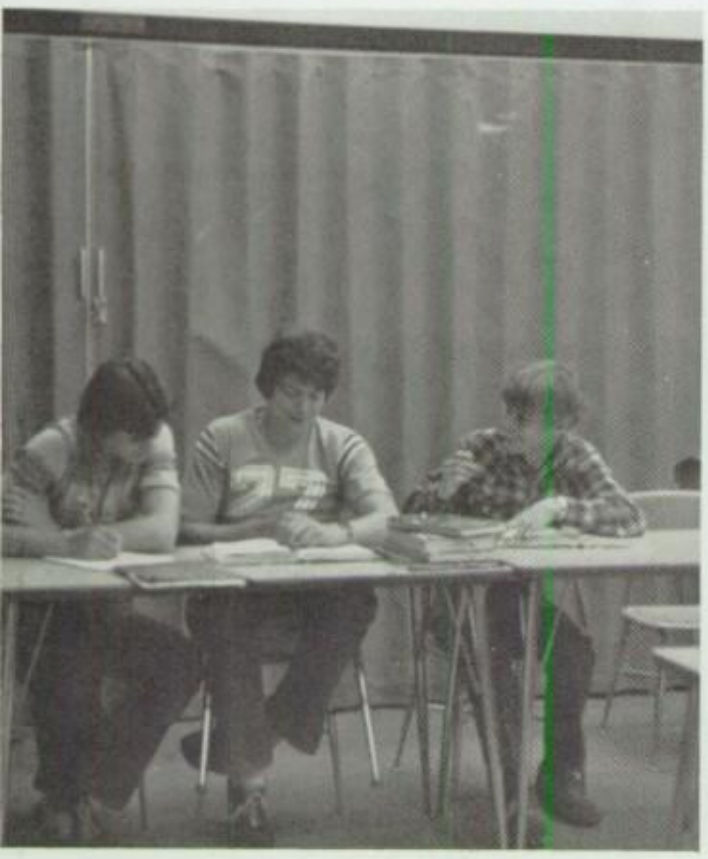


The senior Ag class makes plans to drive **Mr. Merrilat** crazy.

Stan Bebout completes one of his many duties as a co-op student at Stiefels in Decatur.

LEARNING AND WORKING

Mark Brodbeck, Gary Strait, and **Barry Fairchild** seem to find the Ag book amusing.

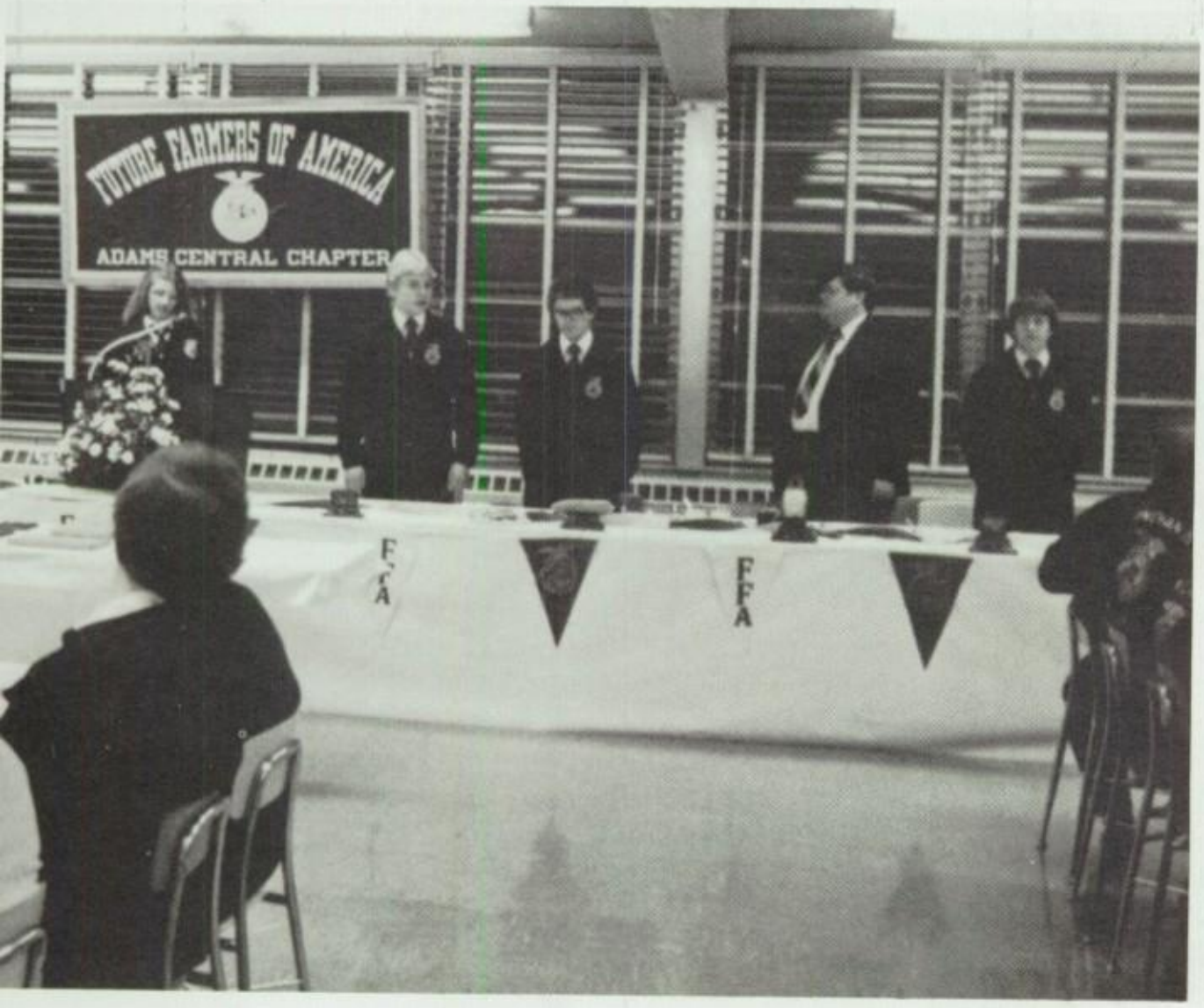


The soils judging team displays one of their many trophies.

The Agriculture class learned many new things in the dairy, soil, and livestock aspects of Agriculture. The class was shown films and documentaries concerning these subjects.

The class took a field trip to observe the farm implements sale in Geneva.

Nineteen senior boys also participated in a CO-OP work program that distributed them among businesses every afternoon.



The meeting is called to order at the Agriculture-FFA Awards Banquet.

ART FACES OVERPOPULATION

Kathy Wyss doesn't neglect the minor details on her painting.

Jerry Barkley paints trees over the well blended background of his oil painting.

Scott Wittwer steadies his tiring arm to continue his wall length mural.

Goof off time adds to the drab monotony for **June Gerber** and **Jeff Lengerich.**

Janalee Middendorff displays her talent in erasing as well as drawing on her straight edge masterpiece.

The art department went through few changes this year, with the exception of the choice of classes a person could take. Students were offered General Art I and II, Drawing, Painting and Studio Art unlike last year where Design and Crafts were added to this list.

The number of students participating in art has increased tremendously over the last year. However, with only one teacher, Mr. Tom Walsh, it is often difficult to offer enough classes.

Daren James tries to put his eye sight into his finger work on his colored pencil drawing.

Vince Simpkins seems to be getting more paint on the table than on his work of art.

Julie Thatcher draws the smallest details on her rough draft.

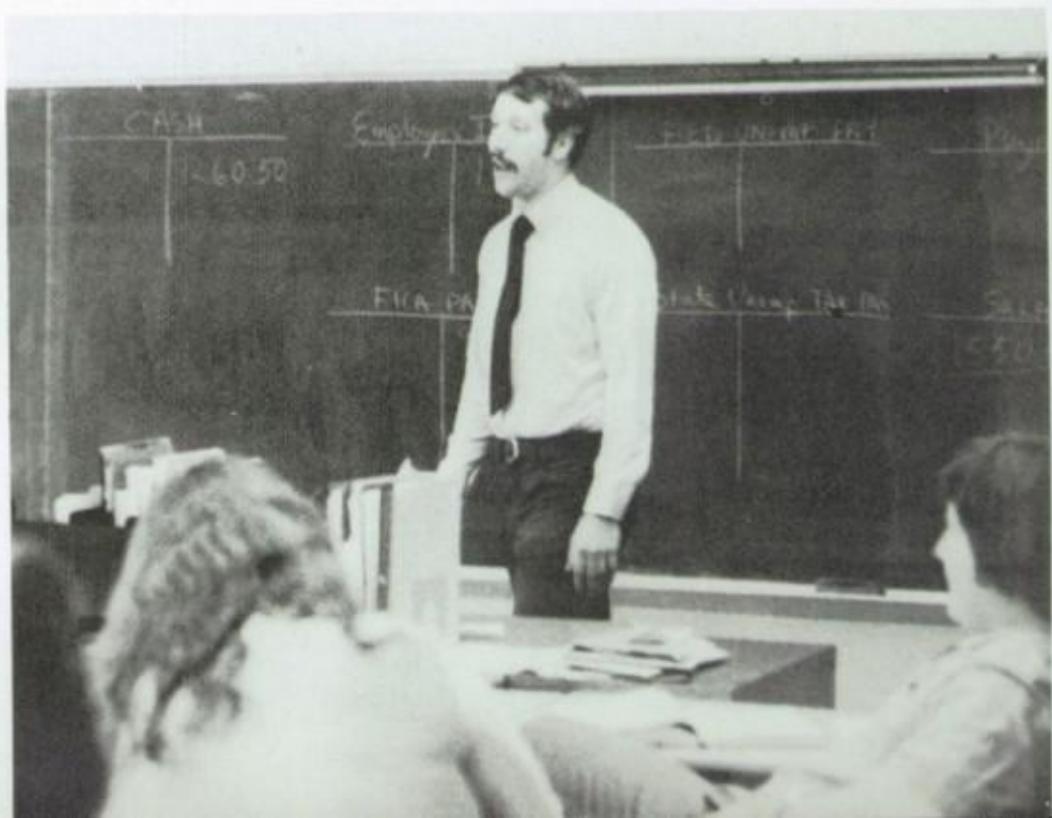
VARIETY ADDED TO BUSINESS

Ann Tonnellier proofreads her typing to make sure there are no errors.

Rose Steffen uses her business skills to do her job at the Adams County Hospital's information desk.

Kevin Ivins checks to make sure he has his fingers on the right keys, while **John Heller** reviews his practice exercises.

Accounting teacher **Mr. Thomas,** explains the debits and credits of accounts.



Gene Fosnaugh takes a break from his General Business as his classmates work on.

A business student had a variety of classes to choose from to help give information and experience for his specific interest. If someone was interested in a secretarial career, General Office Practice, Shorthand, Typing, and Business Machines would prove to be beneficial. Business Management, Business Law, and Bookkeeping wer also offered.

Practice sets were used extensively by the business department with hope that the simulations were closely related to real world experiences.

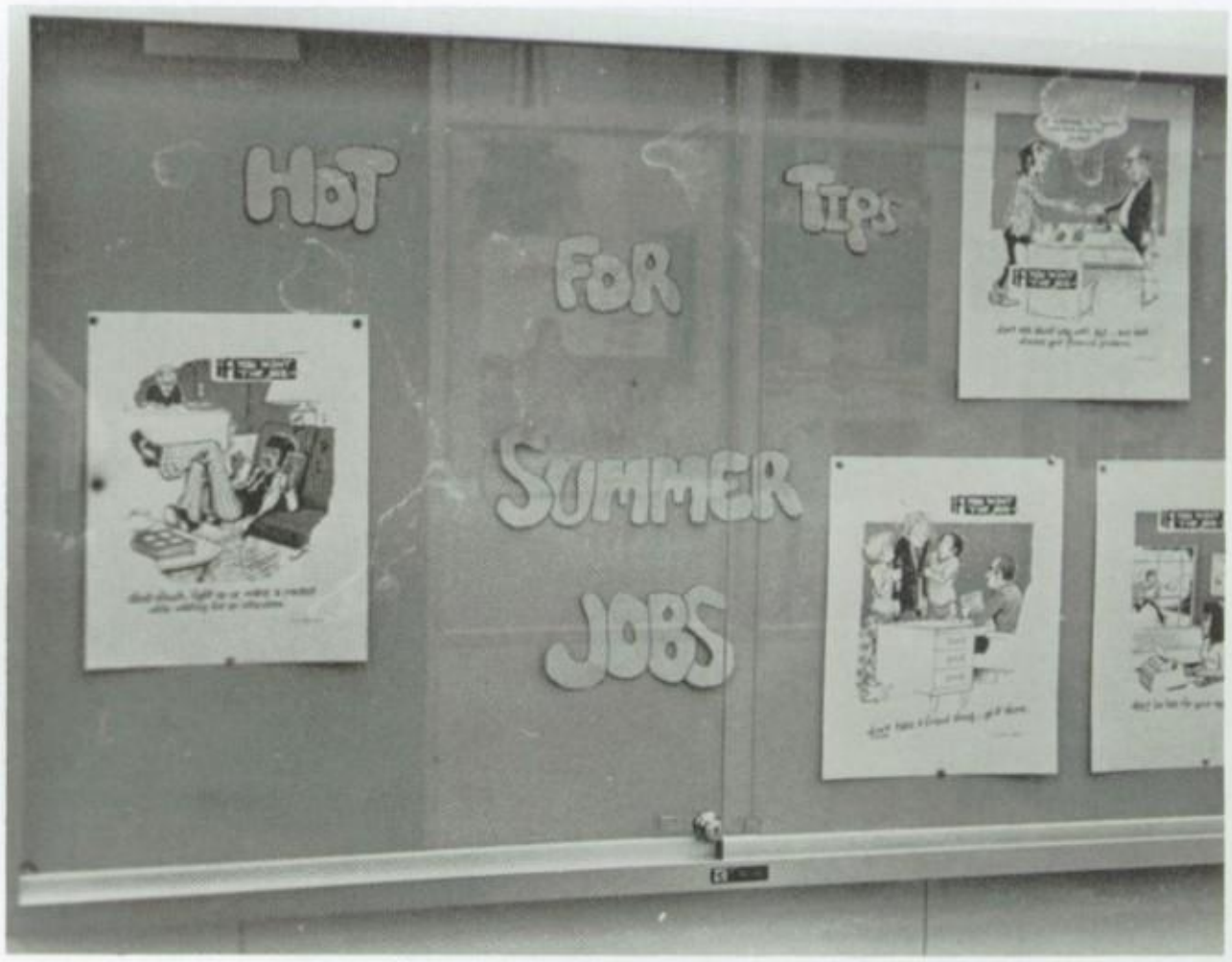
Some seniors chose to be on I.C.E. (Interdisciplinary Cooperative Education). The students in this program attended school for half a day and then worked the other half. The experience not only brought in a paycheck but also gave the student opportunities in their chosen field.

Jodi Smith concentrates on adding the numbers correctly.

Dale Sprunger dreams the "impossible dream" . . . 15 words a minute!

Stocking shelves at Val is just part of **Lisa Garwood's** Co-op job.

STUDENTS PLAN FOR FUTURE

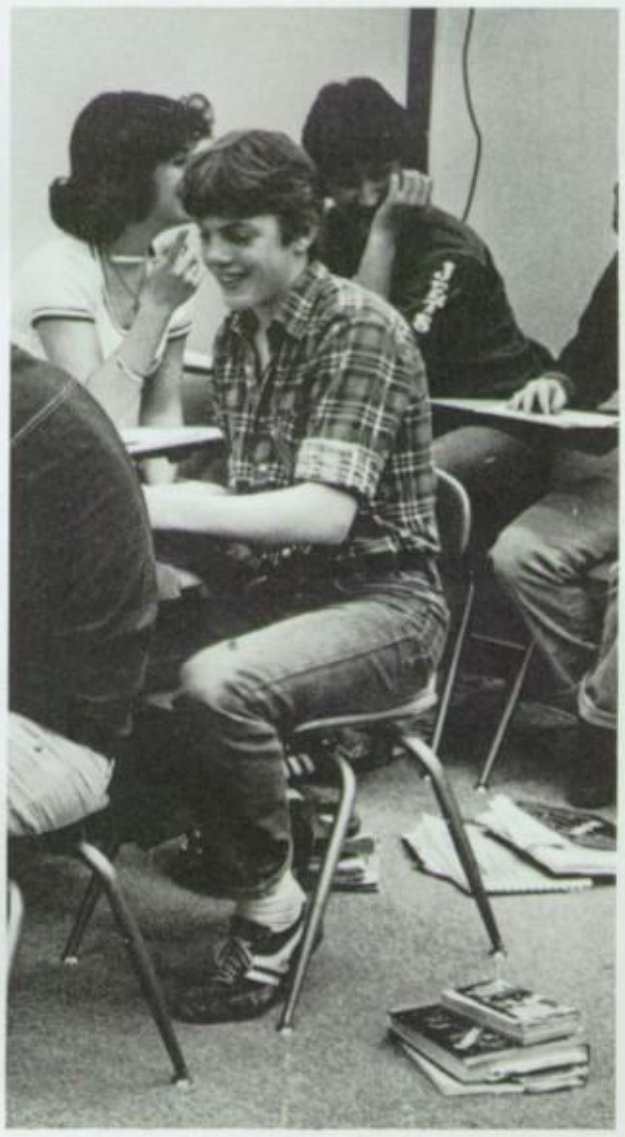


The Career Education classes display case keeps students informed on different summer job occupations.

The career education class fully prepared its students for the future. Not only did they talk about different job occupations, and salaries, but each student practiced an interview for a job, filled out an application and was given an interest inventory test which was sent to a computer.

Representatives came in from various colleges to inform students about its advantages, rooming, expenses, and classes.

Career Ed discovers some of the guidance office services.

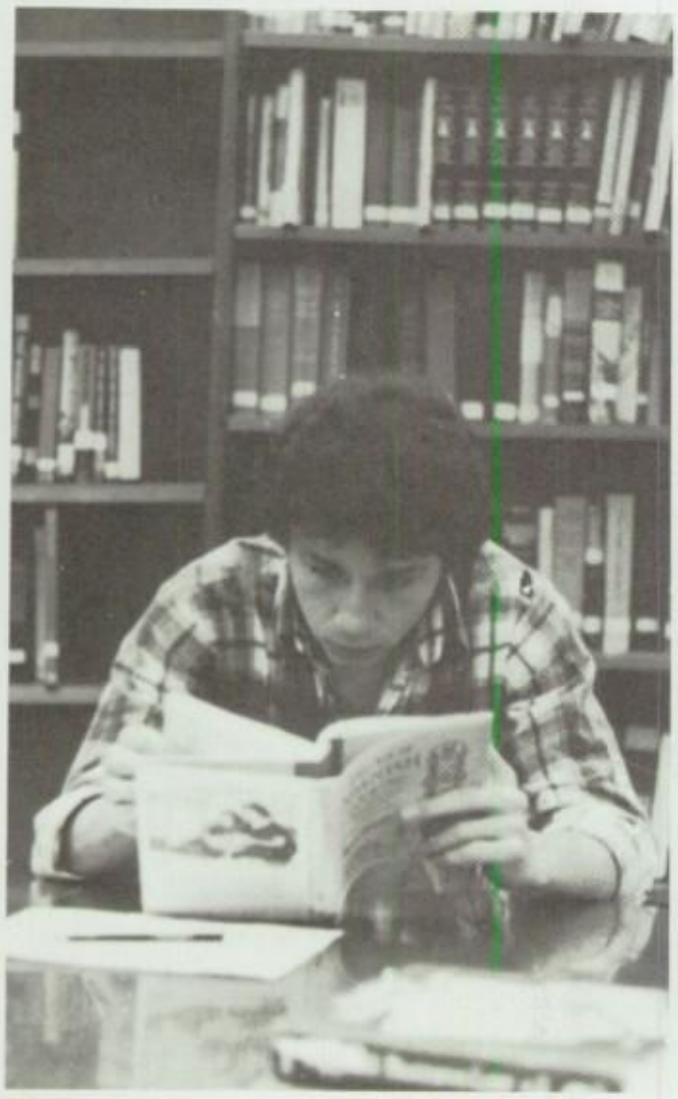


Group activities keep **Tom Hill** busy during Career Ed. class.

MEDIA SERVES STUDENTS

Tim Braun combines his knowledge and skills to get the taping machine to fast forward.

AV CENTER ASSISTANTS-(First Row) Shirley Fruechte (aide), Rena Reidenbach, LeAnn Andrews, Wendi Gilliom, (Second Row) Mike Gremaux, Matt Ford, Paul Kahlert, Jerry Isch, Tony Arnold, Billy Hatten, Jeff Atkinson, Tim Braun, Gene Chronister (director).



Nick Ringger does some last minute research.

Student Teacher **June Yoder** helps **Twyla Wolfe** find more information.

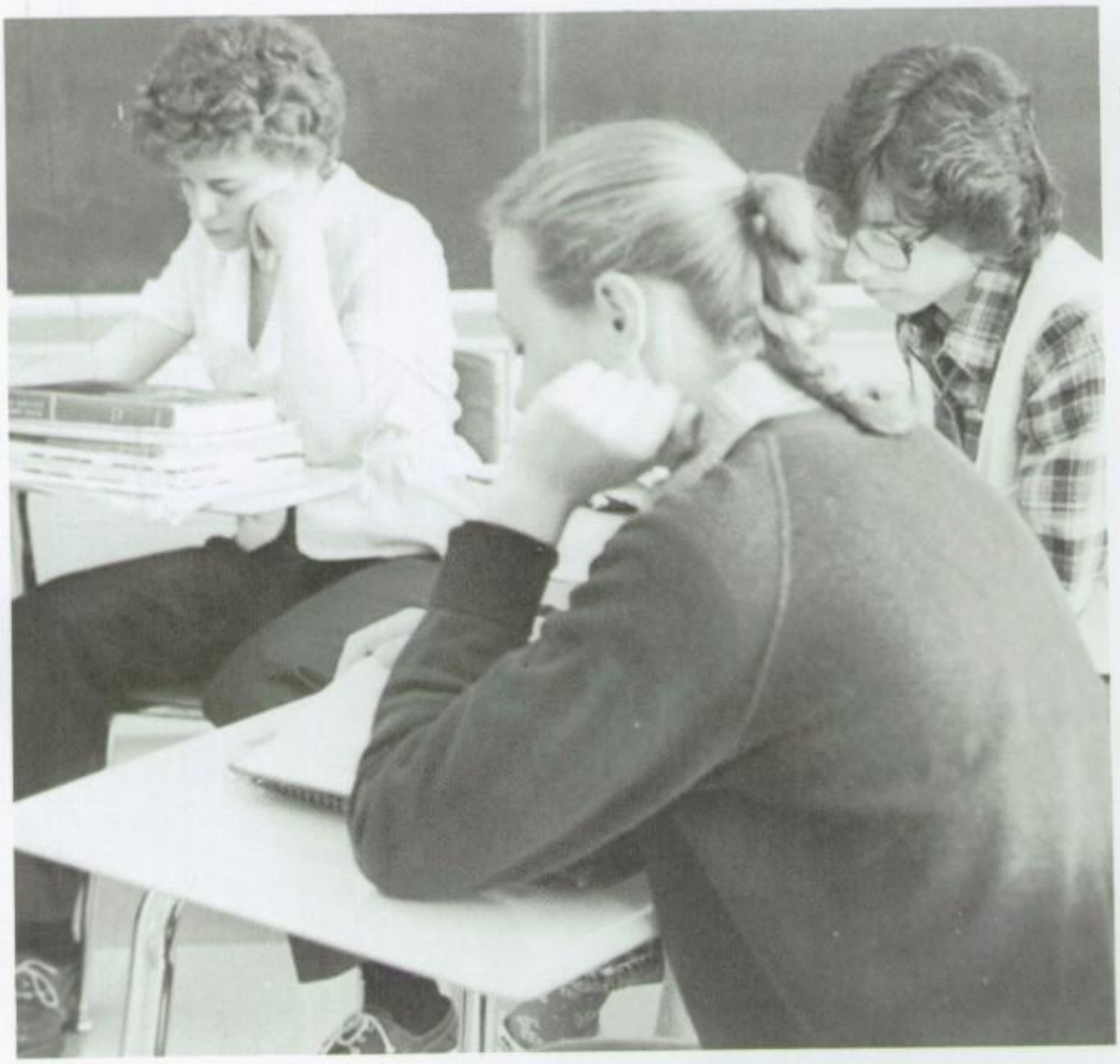
The Audio Visual Center, and the crew that kept it functioning, was a definite necessity for the school. A-V center coordinator, Gene Chronister, directed the staff who carried out the usual jobs encountered everyday.

In addition to operating the center, the staff was also introduced to electronics. They learned the basic fundamentals and how to repair minor troubles that arose with the equipment.

The library, under the direction of Miss Paula Youse, has proven to be convenient and useful. There has been continual improvement between students and teachers through the use of the library. Miss Youse is looking forward to consolidating the library in audio visual services.

This year, student teacher, June Yoder was a great help to Miss Youse in running the library.

"FOREIGNERS" CHALLENGED



German students work hard to get their assignments finished.

The Foreign Language classes this year were taught by three different teachers; Mrs. Susan McKenzie taught Spanish while Miss Anna Baker taught French and Mrs. Audrey Almdale taught German classes.

The Spanish classes had various types of Spanish parties, translated novels, and also went to Banditos to eat.

The French classes read different magazines from France and translated different readings.

The German classes did skits, dialogues, and readings.

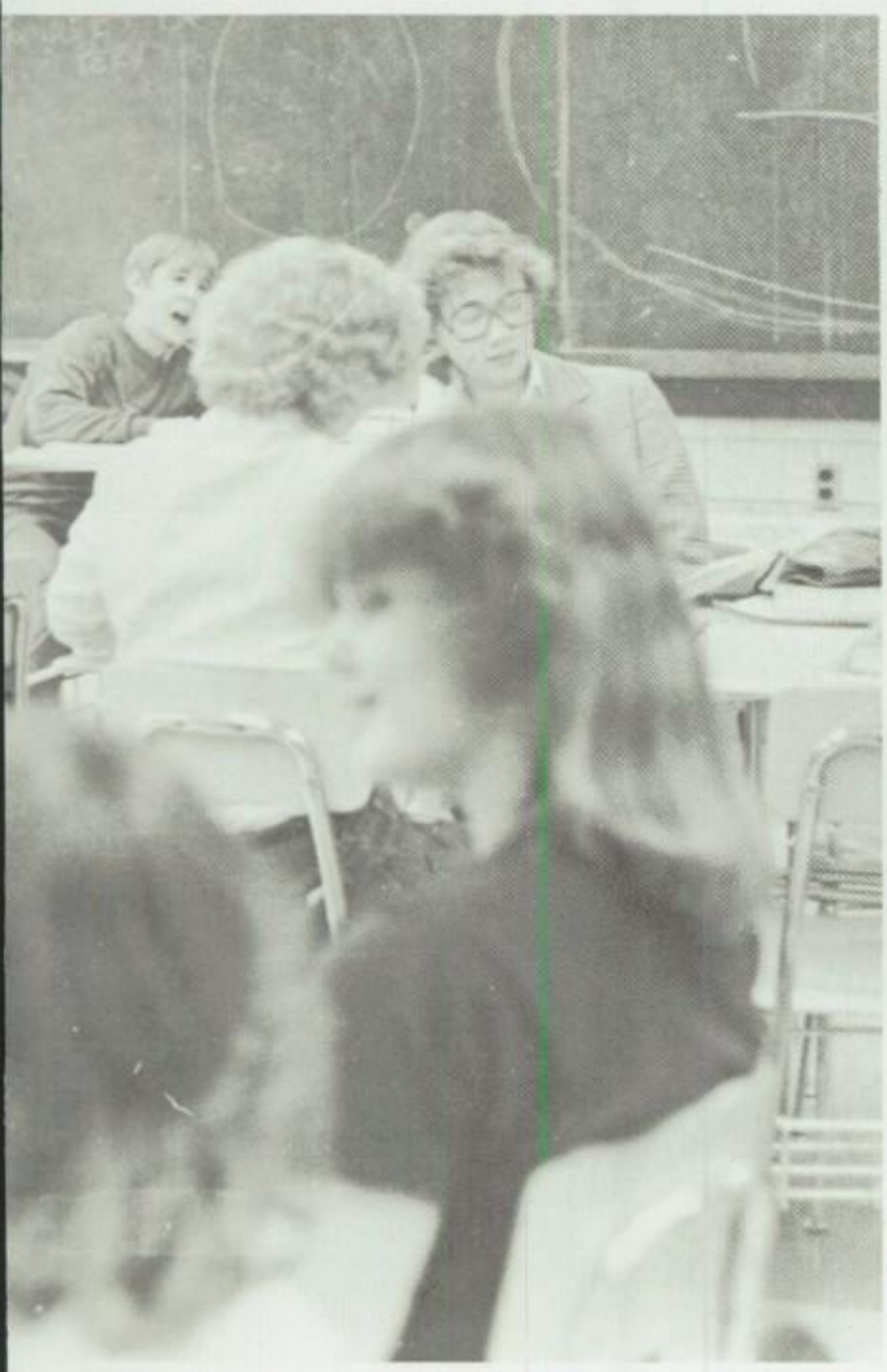
Foreign Language students participated in all sorts of fun as well as educational activities.

Three French students seem interested in what **Miss Baker** has to say as she emphasizes her point.

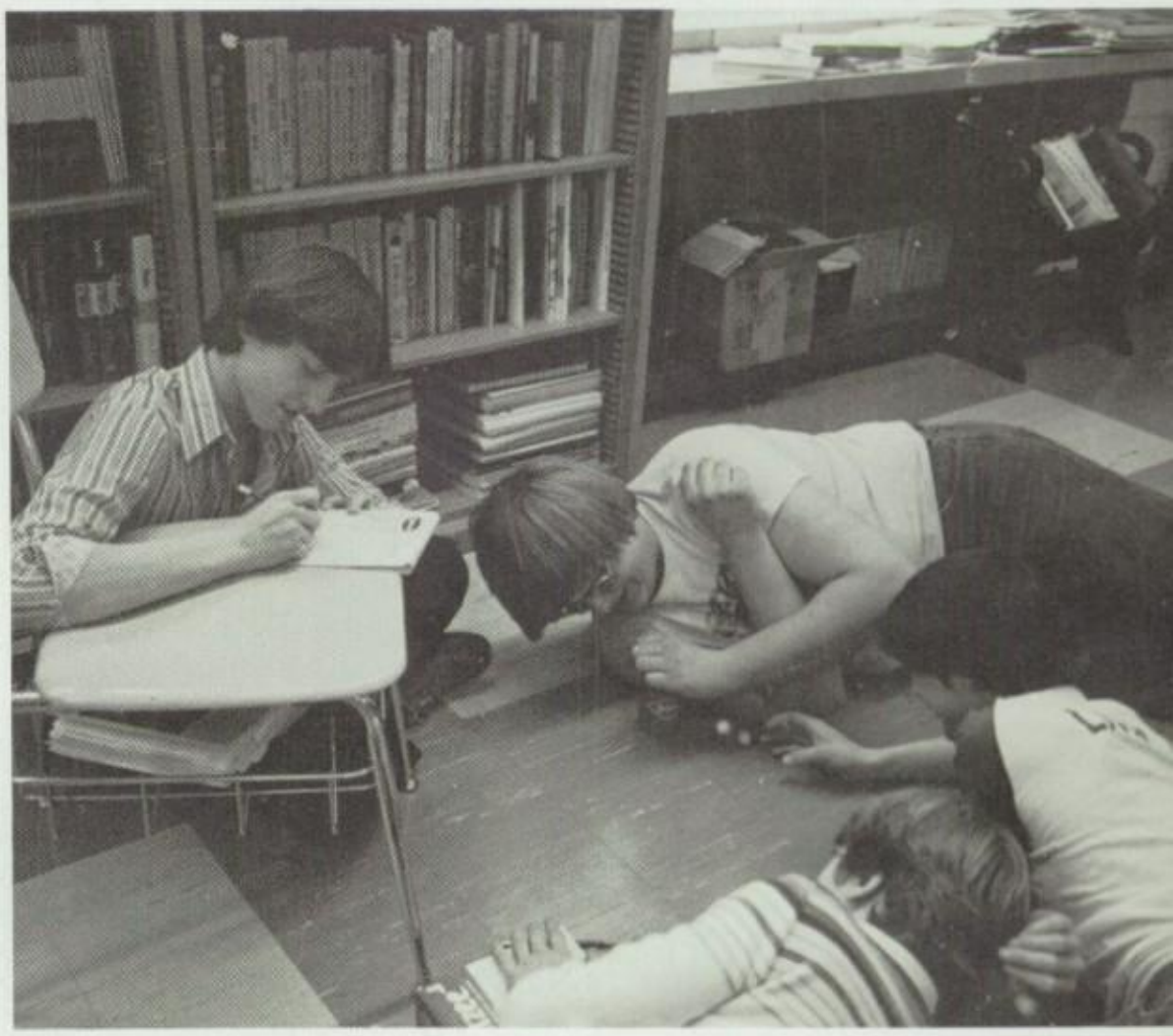
Mrs. Almdale enjoys a quiet moment with her German II class.

French students try to study so they get a good grade on their next test.

Valeri Webb laughs at an amusing statement made by **Tony Mountz** in French class.



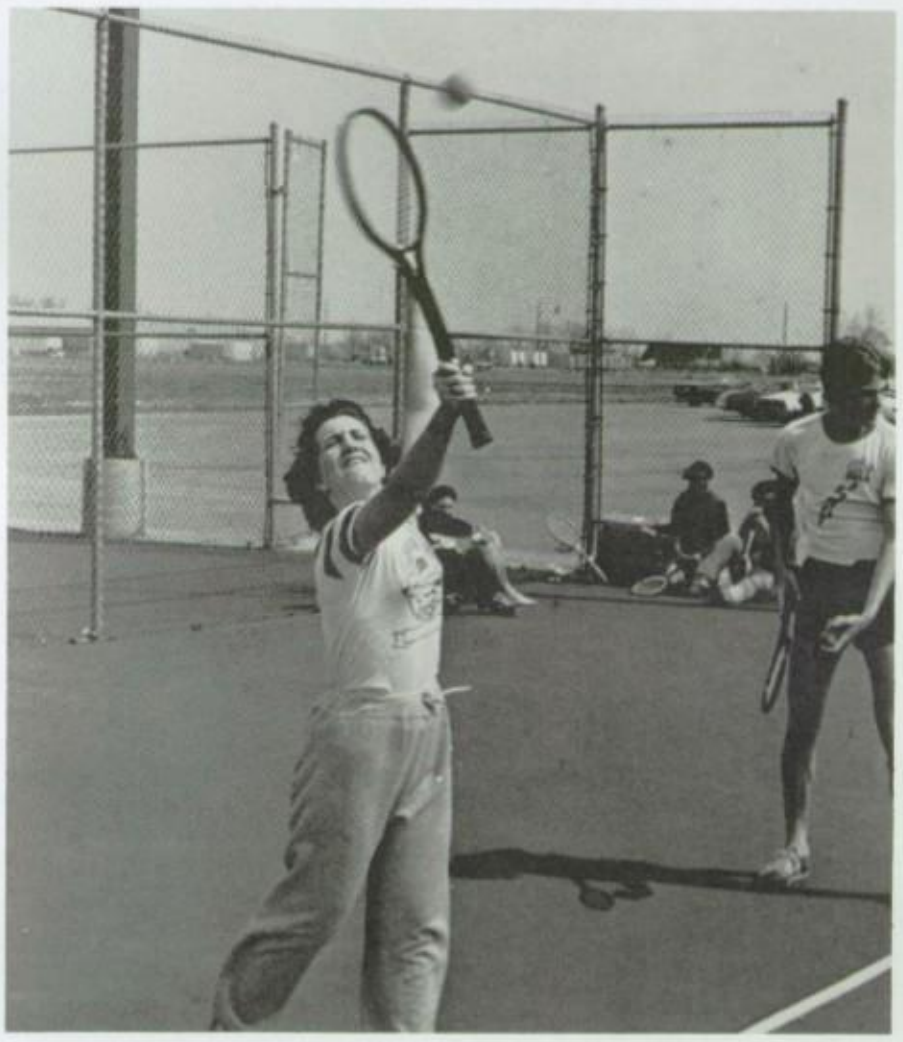
Students converse in Spanish during class time.



Students play a game during their class time.

Mike Hubble tries to get a good aim on the target.

A camera man from the T.V. station in Fort Wayne is busy filming the CPR students.



Shaun Main has the correct technique for serving.

The Advanced P.E. students play "Smokey Bear" to make sure their fire doesn't get out of hand.

SURVIVAL THRU FITNESS

Mr. Humble shows some of his ninth grade P.E. students the techniques of CPR.

Again this year the Advanced P.E. class took their annual camping trip to Huntington Reservoir. Before they went they had short courses in boating, tenting, camping, cooking, and how to use compasses.

The Health class had various different units. They consisted of dating and marriage, bones and muscles, and death and dying.

For the past four years the ninth grade and advanced P.E. classes have had CPR training. Television stations from Fort Wayne were here filming the students while learning. The reason was because A.C. had the biggest class learning CPR in the state. That is a big accomplishment for the Adams Central P.E. classes.

Anna Laitinen and **Kent Richards** watch as **Dawn Hullinger** chows down eggs she prepared during a cook-out in Advanced P.E.

"Do it right, buddy! I'm watching you!"

HOME EC BAKES PERFECTION

This year in Home Economics, the Singles Living class made different types of foreign foods.

The Interior Design class took a trip to the Home and Patio show at the Ft. Wayne Coliseum to help them select their "Dream Home."

The Child Development class did something different this year. They helped and studied the Kindergarten class for seven weeks, made toys, and were visited by children of all ages.

Adult Living students had many guest speakers . . . ministers, parents, teachers, fellow students, and people in the community.

The Consumer Education class took a field trip to Berne Furniture store.

Just like every other year the Foods class prepared all types of food . . . Christmas candy, cakes, vegetables, casseroles, quick breads, fruits, pastries, salads, and yeast breads.

Sharon Haines gets the clean towels ready for the next class to use.

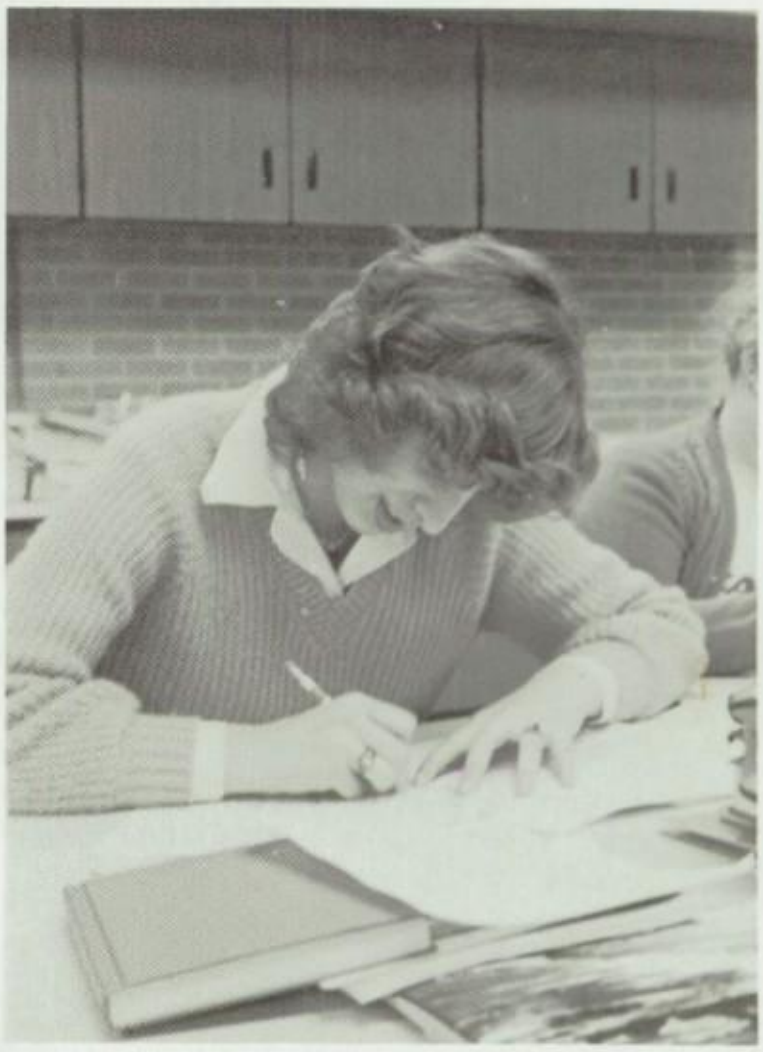
Jodi Black and **Annette Workinger** concentrate on making all the cookies the same size.

In Singles Living, **Brent Lehman** gets prepared for the mess that **Scott Yoder** is about to make.

The Child Development class gives a demonstration of how to bathe a baby.

Seniors **Lisa Kohne** and **Cindy Heiser** work on their crossword puzzles.

Rhonda Kohne hurries to finish her work before class time is over.



Kelli Fox and **Pete Schultz** work together to make their salad.

The Foods class enjoys a full meal prepared by everyone.

Tammi Gilliom receives a facial with full make-up for a class demonstration.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Industrial Arts consisted of many learning experiences. The Building Trades class designed and built their own houses. The Metals class gained a new teacher and made some interesting projects. The woods class and Building Trades class made projects out of wood. The Graphic Arts class made silk screen T-shirts and also printed the school newspaper.

All the classes received safety tips on tools and procedures. The major idea was responsibility.

Greg Weil learns that wearing safety glasses is a neccessity in woodshop.

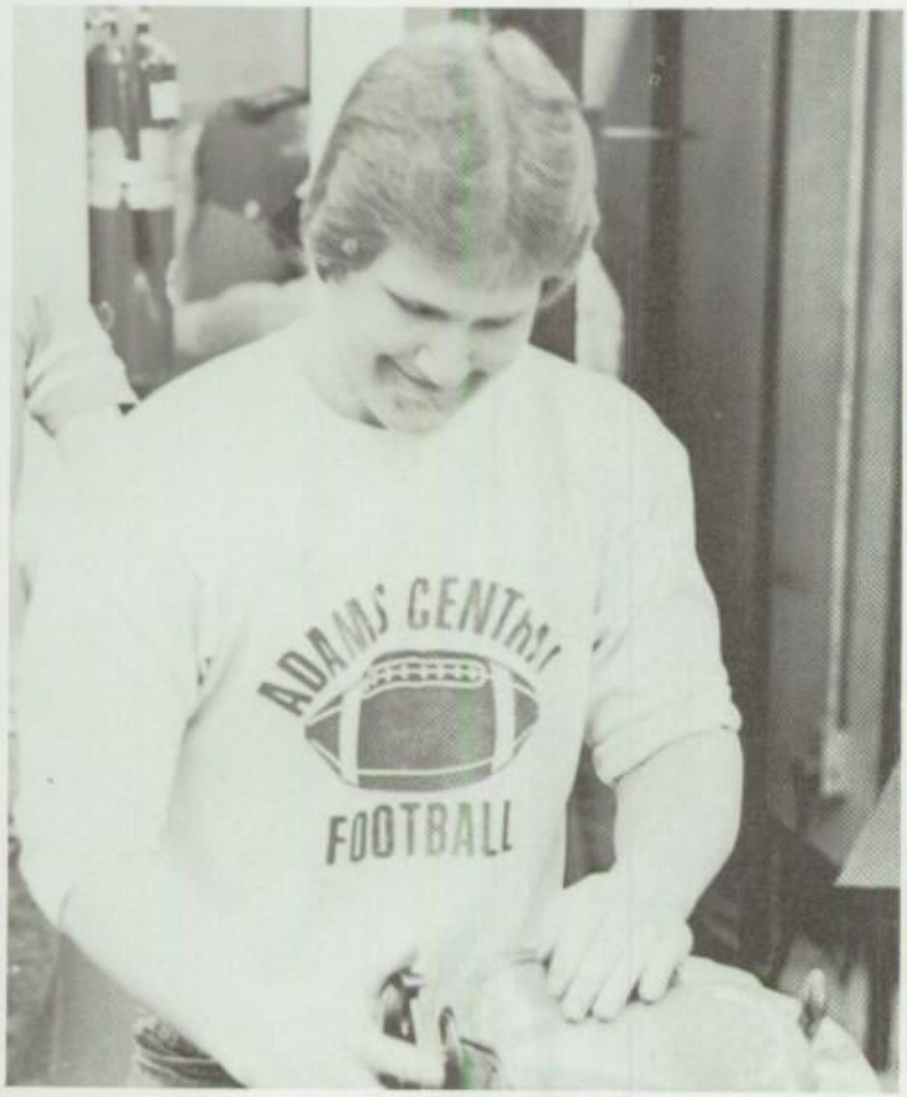
Geoff Schaadt learns how to work the drafting table.

Rhonda Kohne works intently on her drawing.

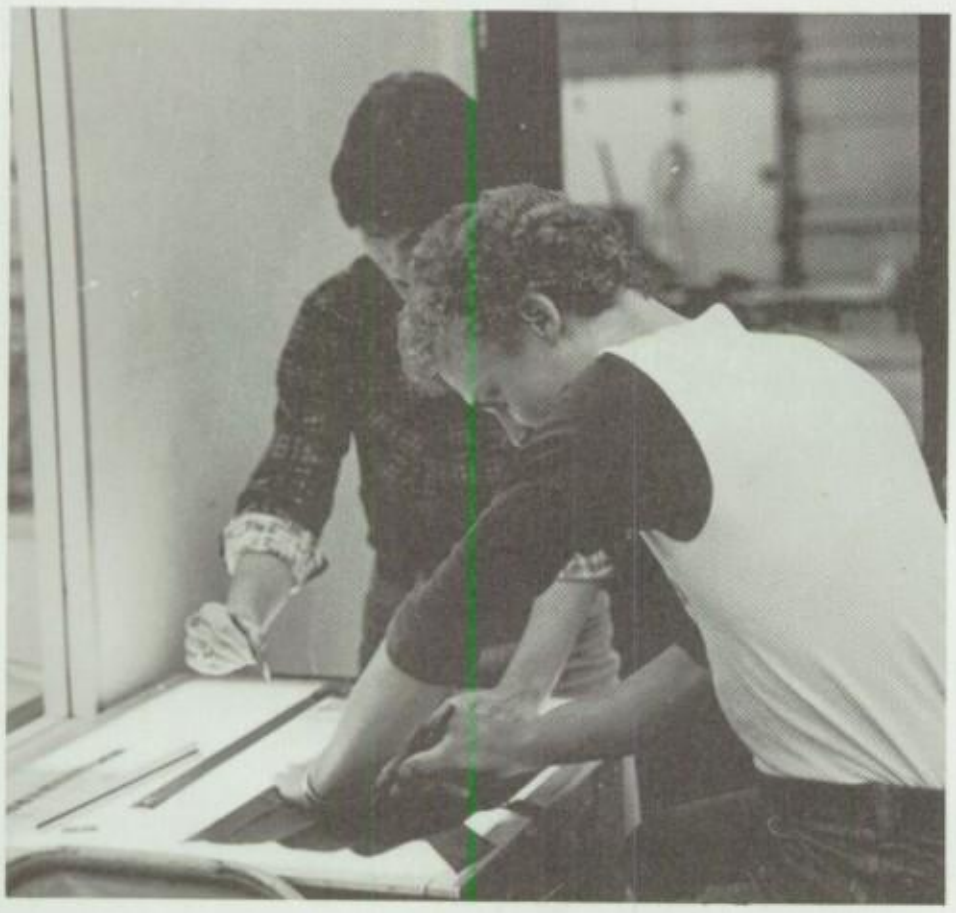
Nathan Gerber helps **Gregg Schultz** assemble his drawing desk.

STRESSES RESPONSIBILITY

Dale Sprunger prepares to use the metal lathe.

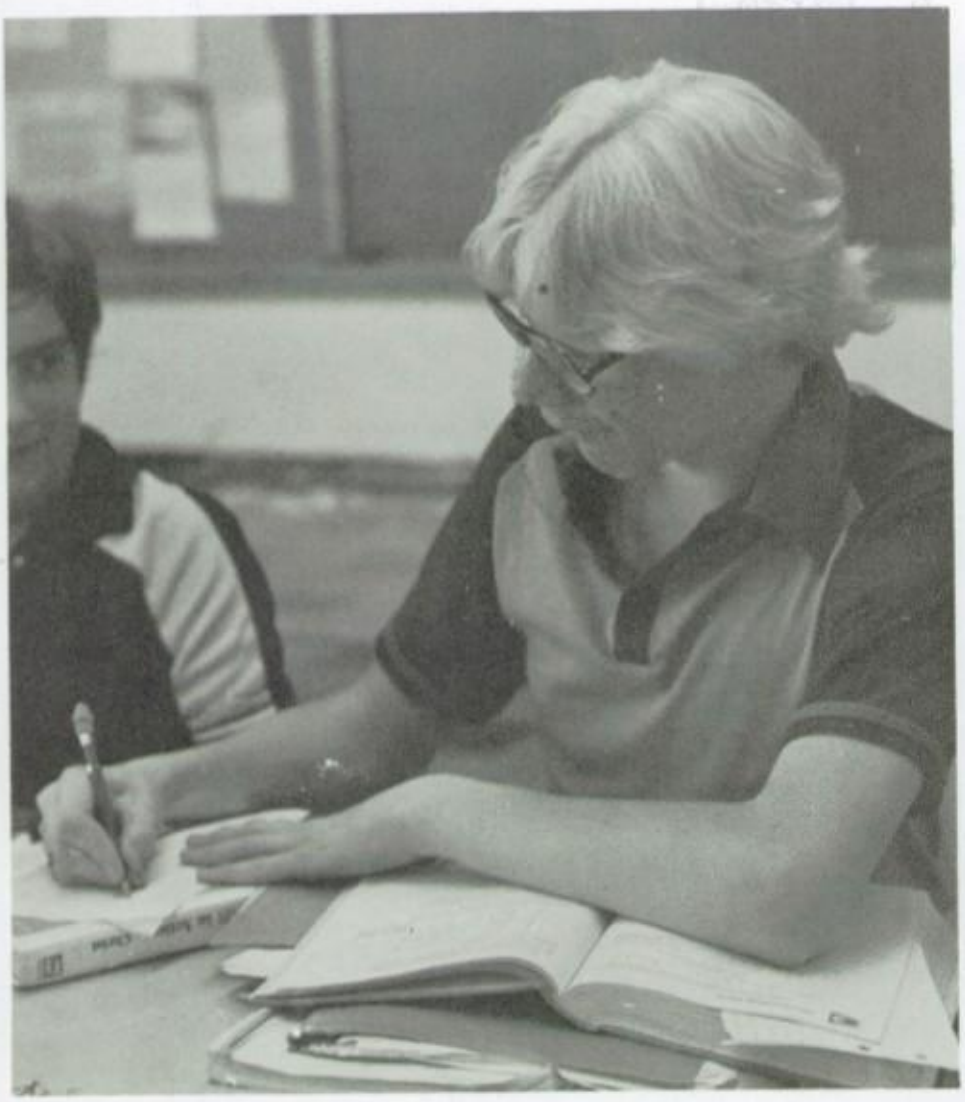


Using the electric sander, **Dan Nelson** refinishes a table.



Jerry Isch and **Rex Harris** carefully strip out the school paper.

Dan Weber puts the finishing touches on his drawing.



Geoff Schaadt proves a Geometric theorem.

Mr. Reinhard's Geometry class seems to appreciate his announcement, "No assignment for tomorrow."

During study in Senior Math, **Julie Litmer** catches upon the latest with **Lisa Clark.**

Andy Lehman advises **Kevin Ivins** on a Senior Math assigment.

BASICS TO COMPLEXITIES . . .
(AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN)

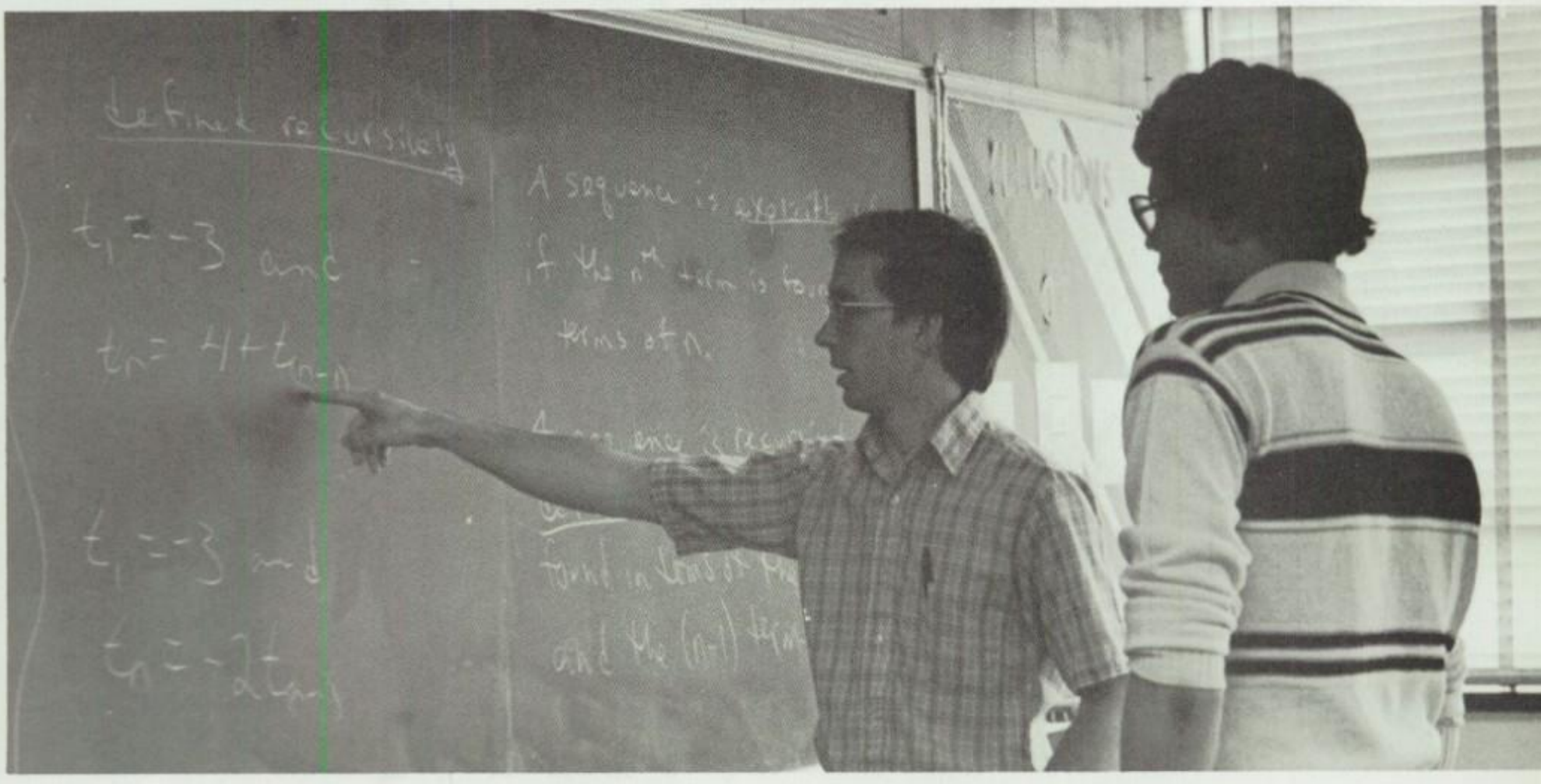
The Math department ranged from General Mathematics, which taught students the very basics of Algebra and Geometry, to Senior Math, which dealt with Trig to complex numbers and everything in between.

The students in the Algebra II and Senior Math classes took part in a nation wide math test in March. The three highest scoring student's tests were sent to the national math department headquarters, where they were compared to other students tests from around the nation.

Along with the returning teachers-Mr. Miller, Mr. Dubach, and Mr. Brown, the Math department was enriched by the presence of a new teacher, Mr. Reinhard.

Mr. Miller worries about this evenings game while reading off a quiz.

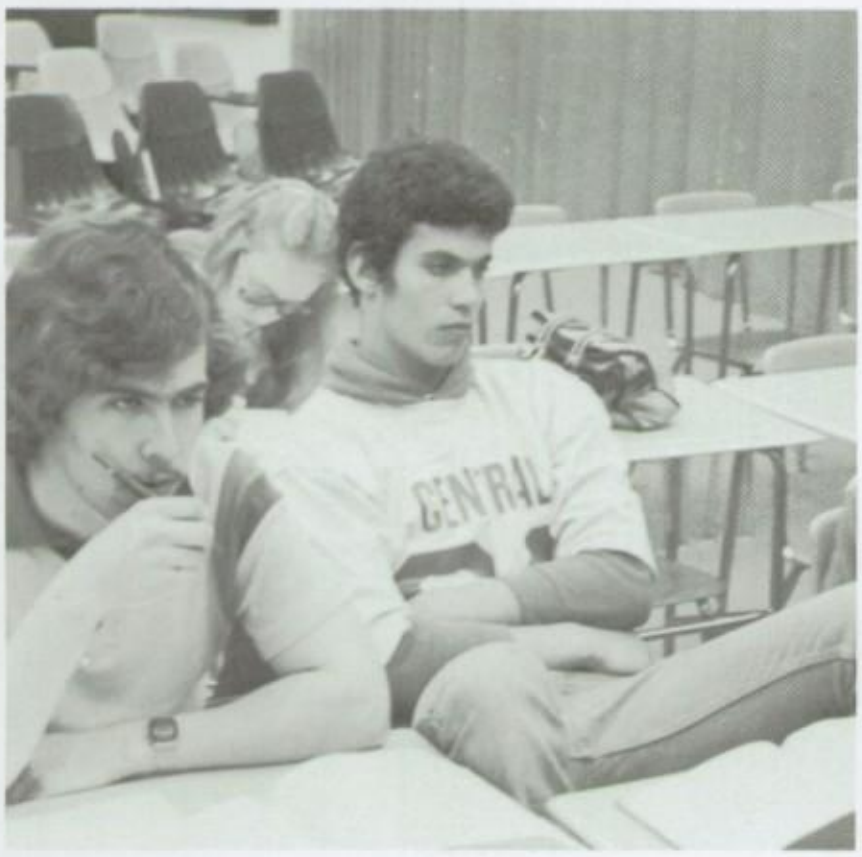
Mr. Reinhard explains sequences to **Jeff Smitely.**



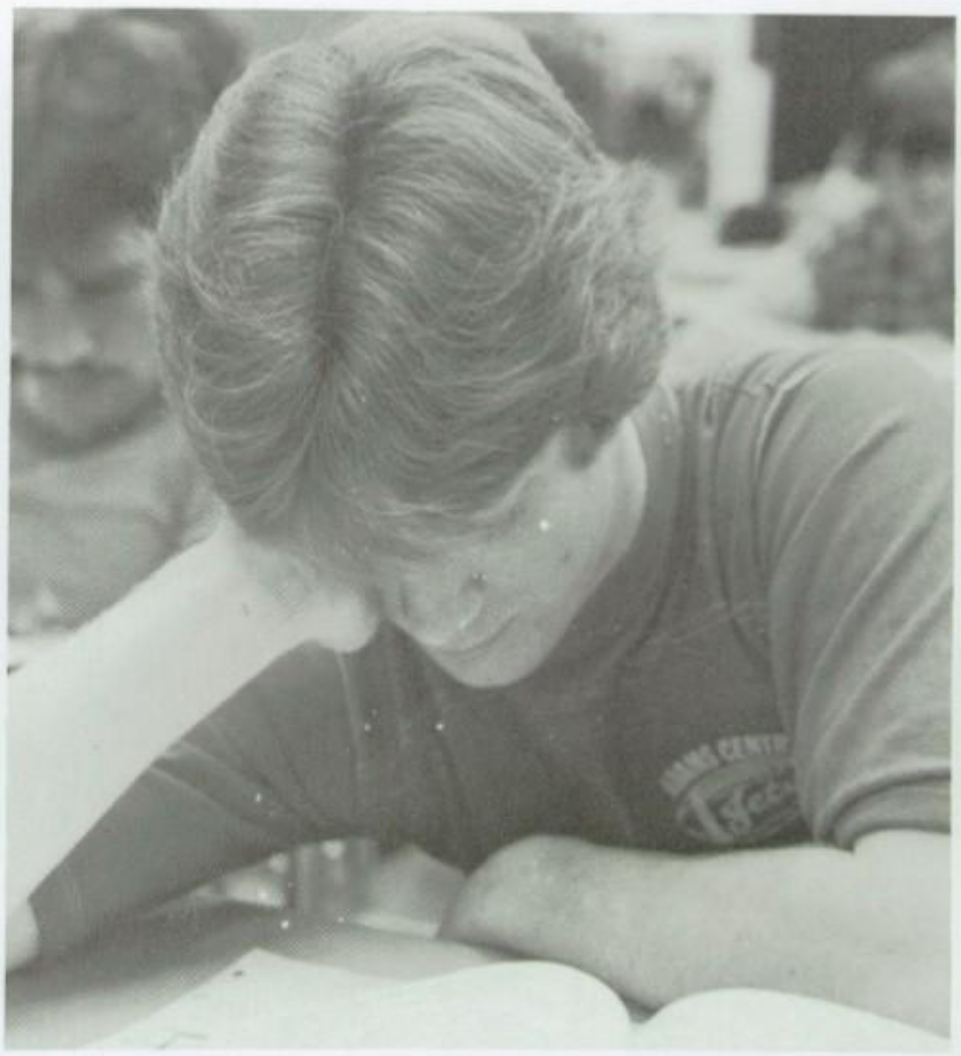
STUDENTS STUDY HERITAGE

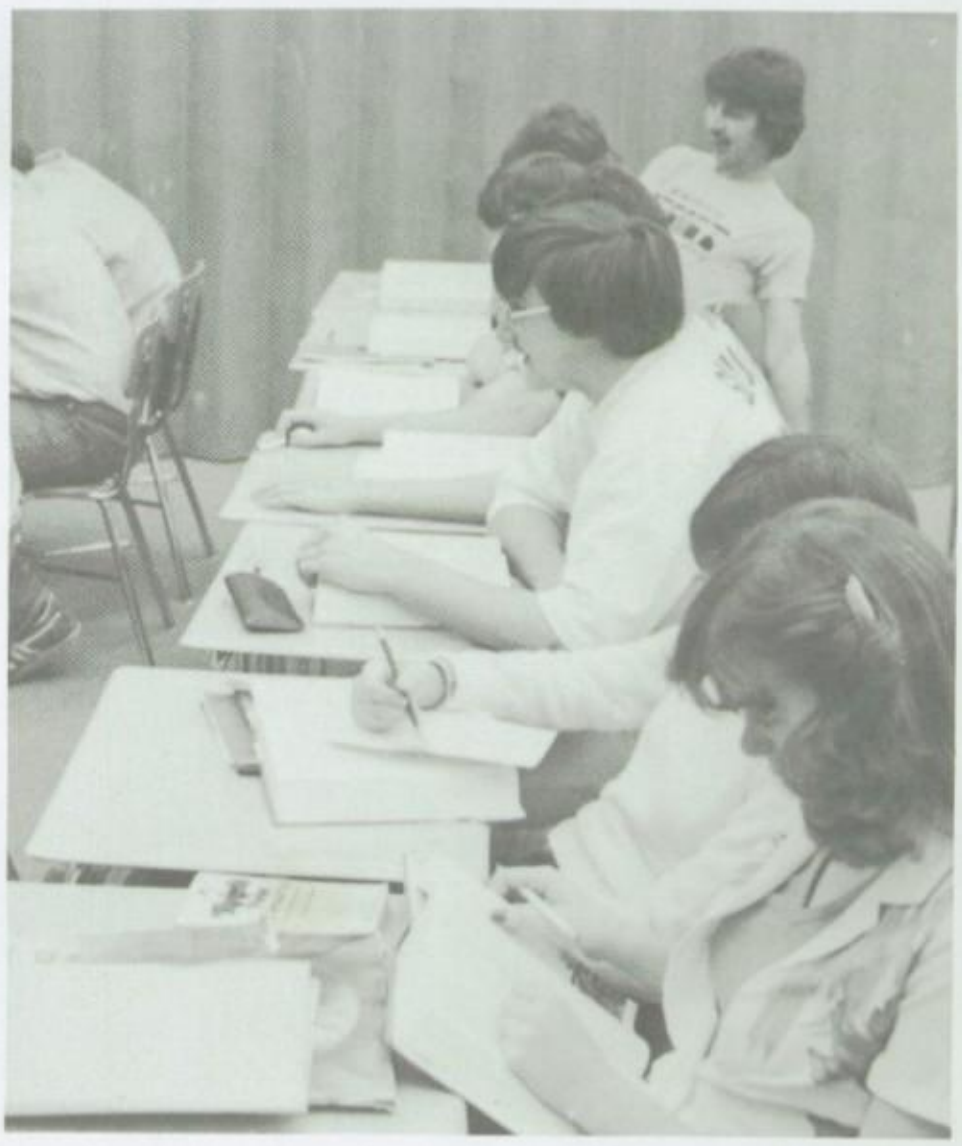
Greg Bailey crams for a Government quiz.

Mr. Glass' first hour History class finds it difficult to pay attention to the movie, "Patton."



A typical day in history class varies from notetaking to daydreaming.





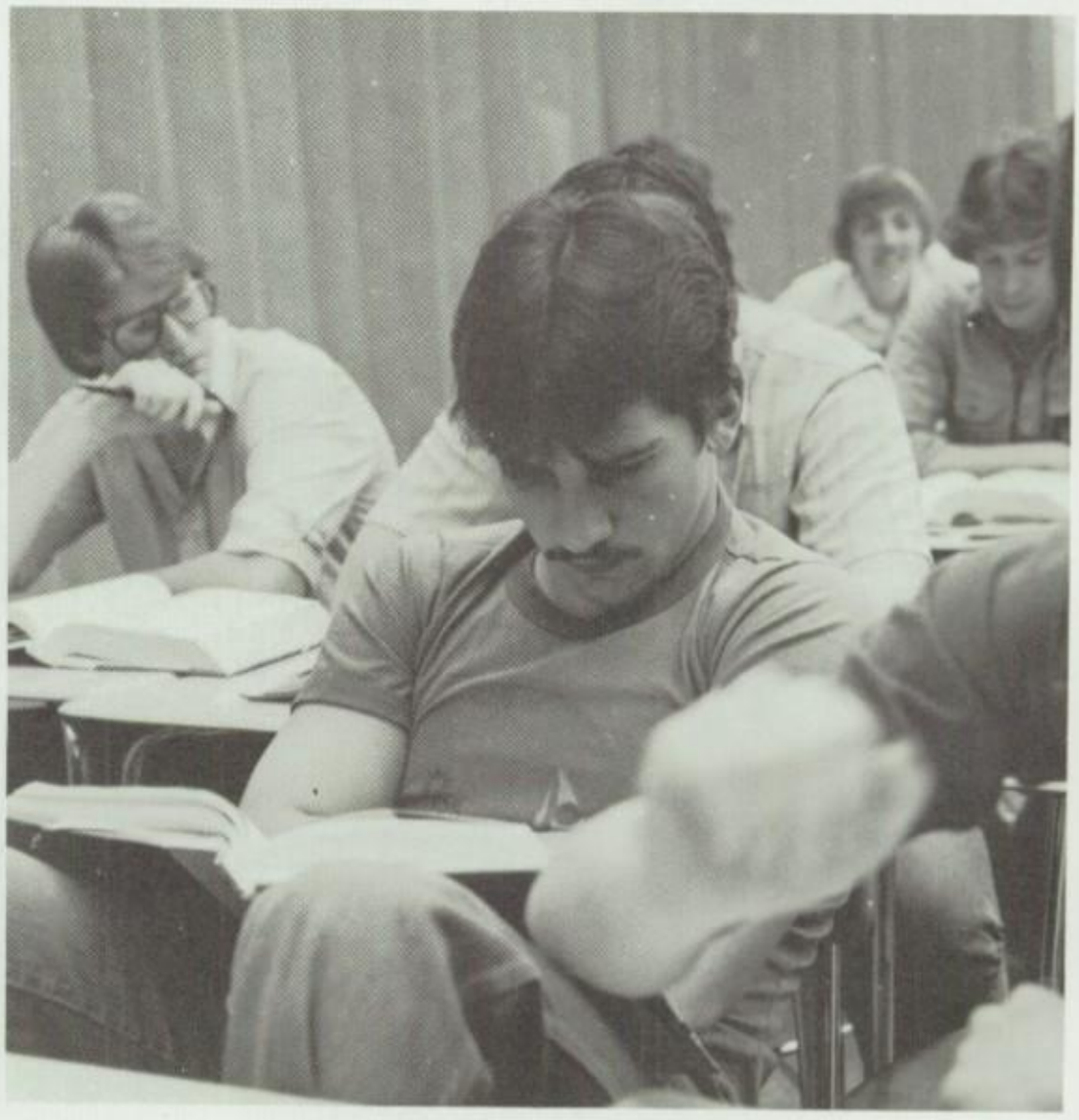
Government students try to study near the end of class time.

Nick Ringger and **Dean Saunders** try in vain to decipher their History notes.

All students are required to take at least two years of Social Studies. Juniors must have one year of US History, while seniors must fit at least one semester of government and one semester of psychology, or two semesters of government, into their schedules.

In US History students were made aware of their heritage and background. Government provided knowledge of how our government works and its importance in a democratic society.

Audrey Fueling takes notes, while revising **Mr. Glass'** lecture into her own words.



Could **Ted Barger** actually be reading his Government?

SCIENTISTS EXPERIMENT

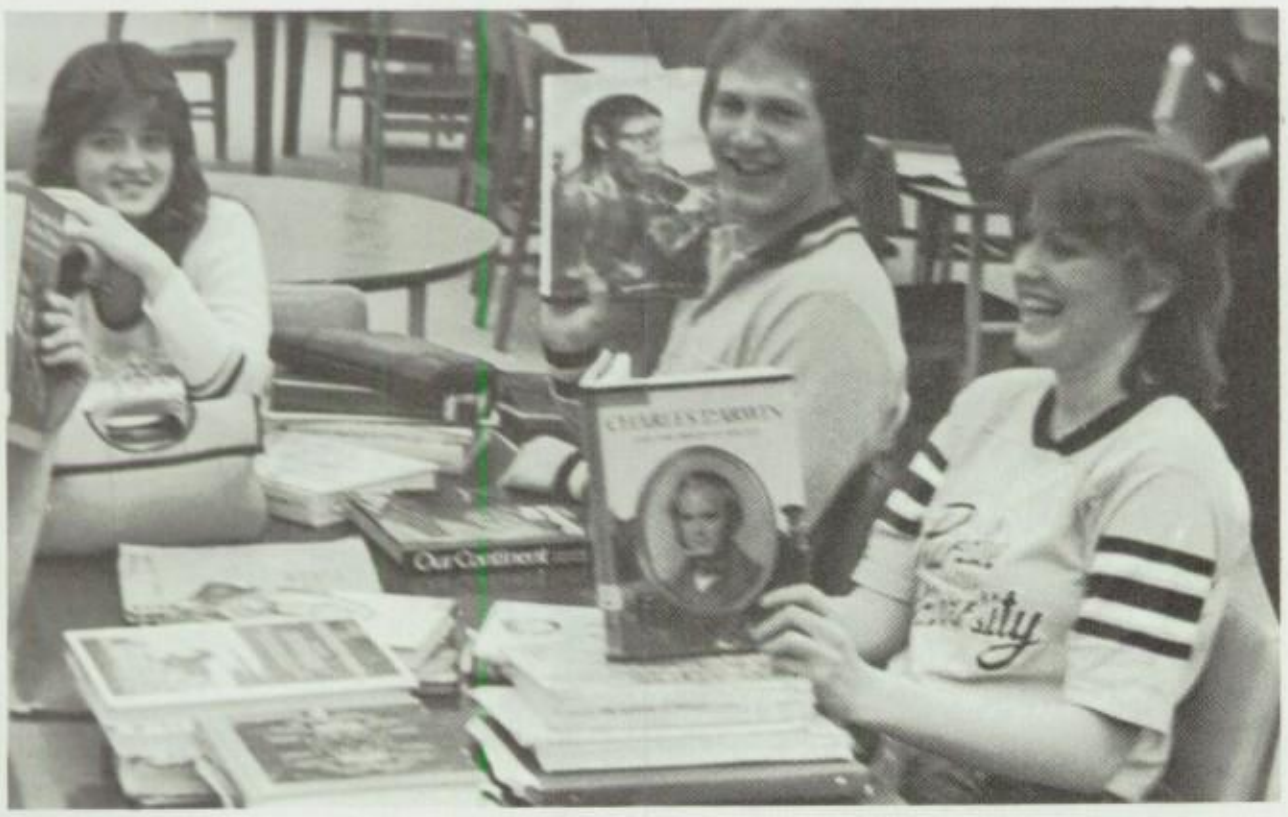
Working as a group doesn't seem to help **Michelle Noll, Kathi Abbott, Karla Rich,** and **Lisa Clark** attempt to make their experiment successful.

Andy Lehman helps **Lisa Clark** steady the rod in their Physics experiment.

A dedicated Biology student tries to save the life of a poor, helpless frog.

Mr. Hubbard helps **Sharon Strayer** and **Michelle Beer** on their first incision.

WITH THE FUTURE

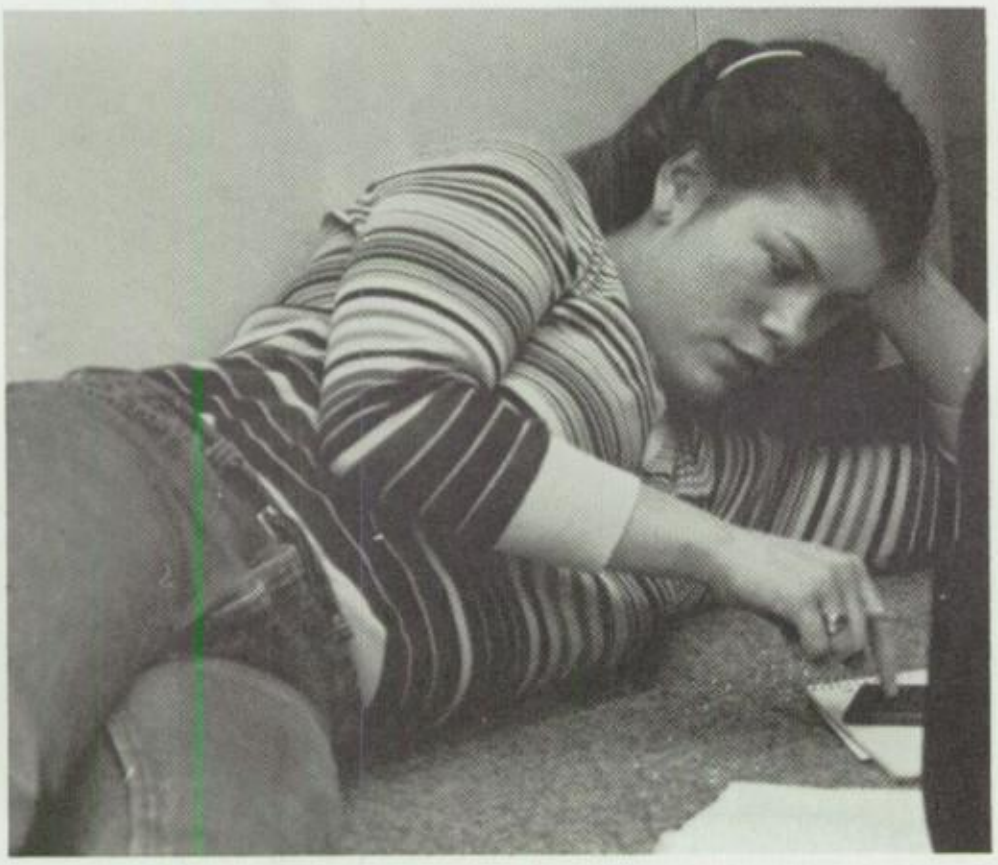


Students from the Advanced Biology class do some quick research on the evolution of man.

Working with blood types, hatching baby chicks, taking field trips, and mixing chemical solutions were a few of the many things accomplished this year by the Science Department. The courses offered were: General Science, Biology, Advanced Biology, Chemistry, Advanced Chemistry and Physics.

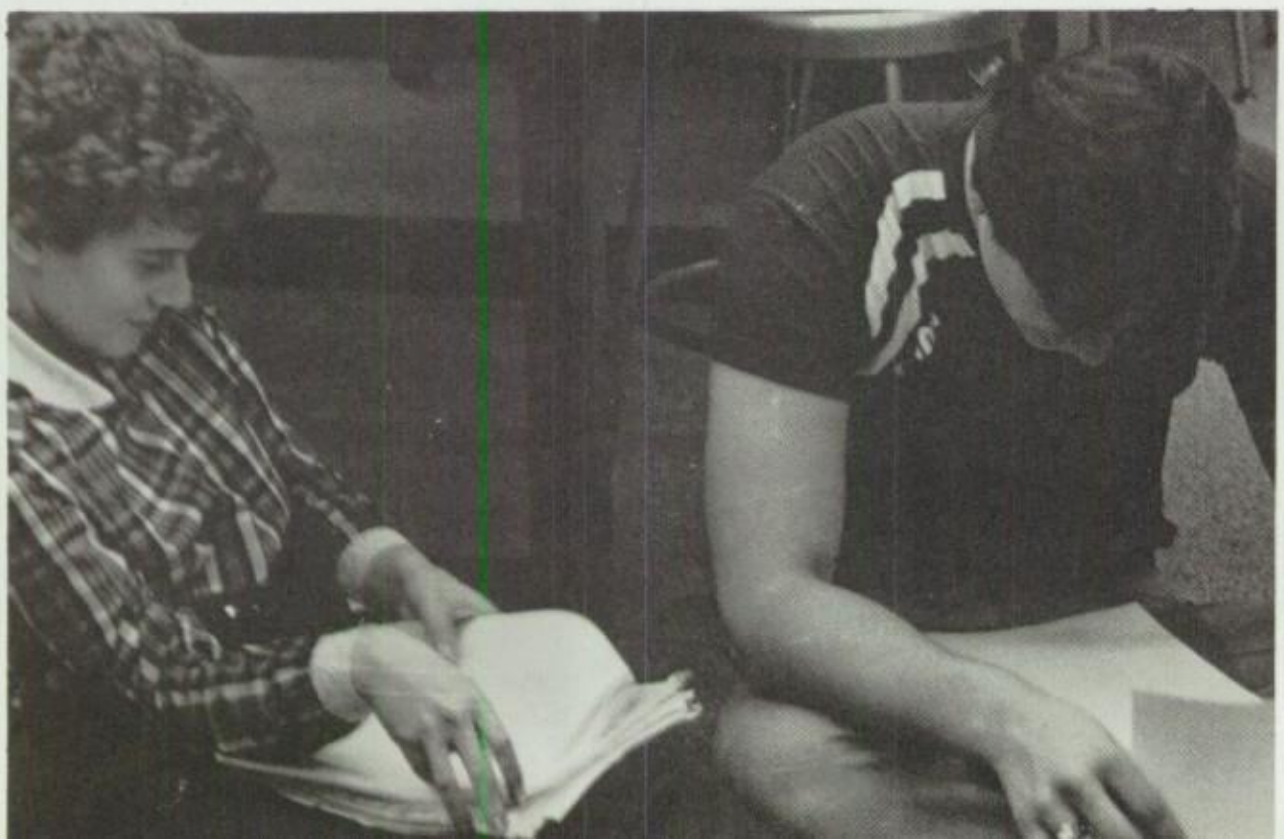
Mr. Hubbard and Mr. Allspaw took charge of these courses with the aid of labs, study sheets, guide questions and the audio-tutorial system.

A field outing to study the soil, plus a convention on birth defects, were just some of the attractions taken in by the science students.



With the aid of a calculator, **Lori Dick** finishes her lab report.

Mr. Allspaw performs a test which verifies the result of a physics experiment.



Sherri Sprunger and **Chad Bryan** quiz each other before a big Chemistry test.

STUDENTS MASTER ENGLISH

It's "Game Day" for Senior Comp students.

There are a wide variety of English courses available at AC, ranging from the required Freshman English to college preparatory Senior Composition.

Mr. Reinking taught his freshman students basic English principles to ready them for more difficult casses as upperclassmen.

English department head Mr. Markley taught Vocabulary and Spelling, Speech, and Mass Media. He also served as the yearbook and newspaper advisor.

In her third year at AC, Miss Baker taught Senior Composition, American Literature, Basic English, Creative Writing, French, and British Literature.

Mrs. Almdale was in charge of the sophomore English classes and also taught German.

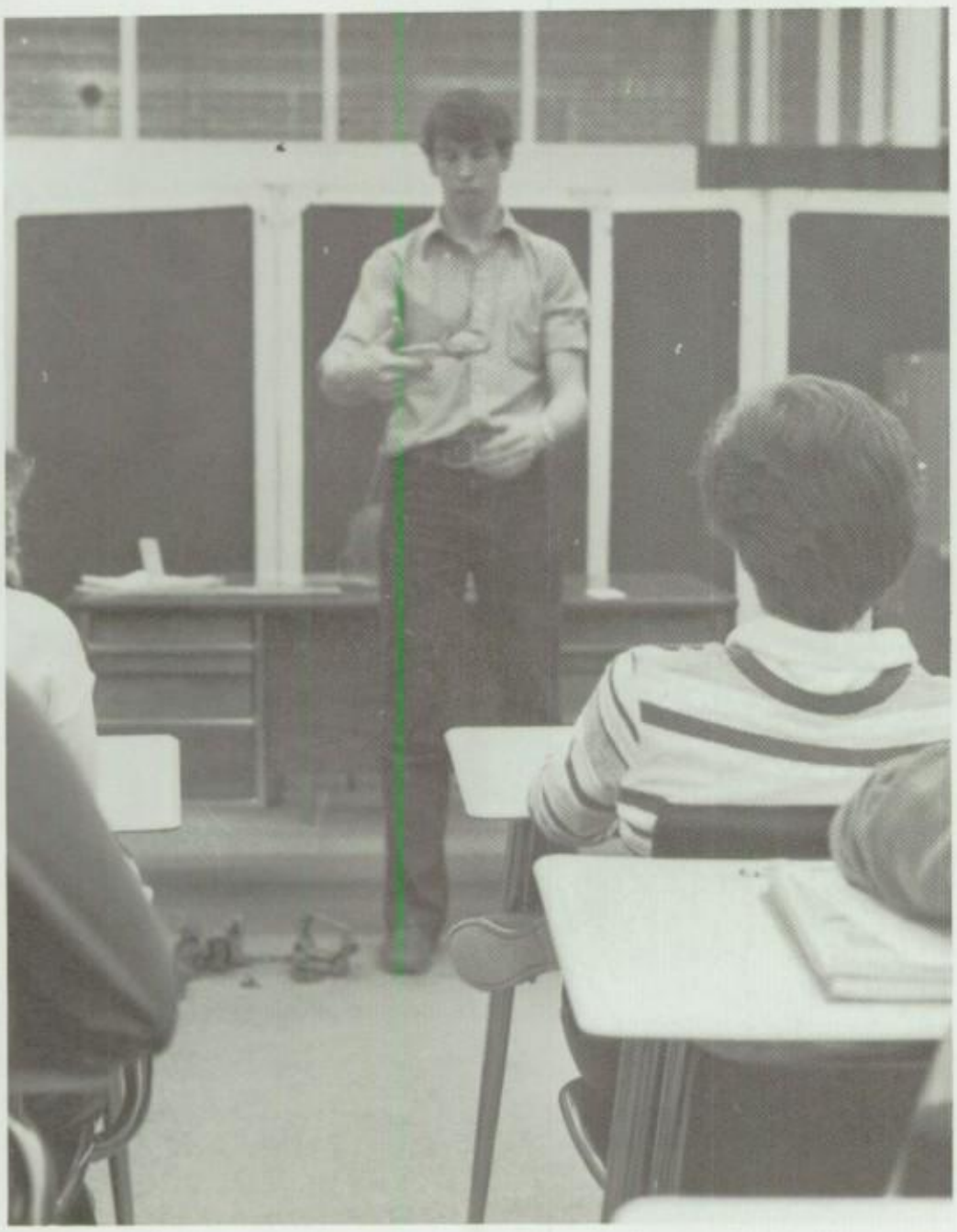
The sixth hour sophomore English class listens intently to another lecture.

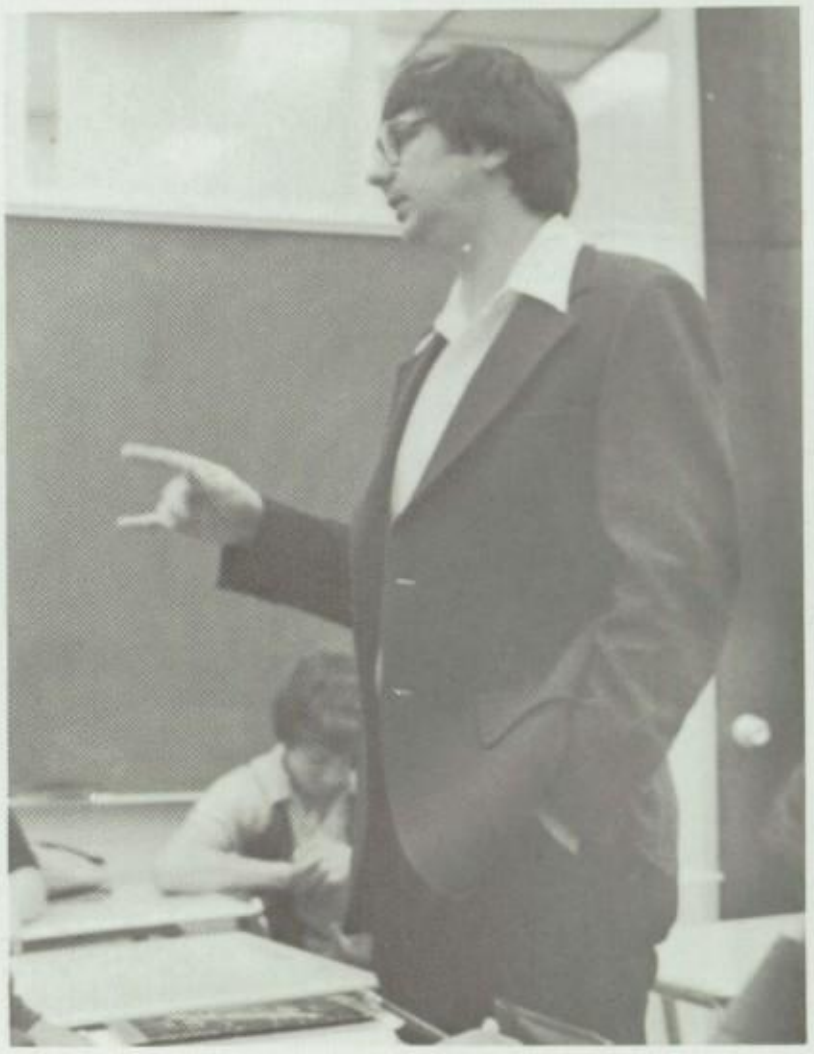
Julie Litmer gives her demonstration speech on how to make chocolate chip bars.

Mrs. Almdale shares a joke with her sophomore English class.

Freshmen **Janean Isch** and **Patty Braun** show their class just how to do a diagrammed sentence.

Miss Baker helps some students with an assignment.





Mr. Markley gives "another" lecture to his students.

Junior **Gary Mitchel** demonstrates the techniques of trapping.

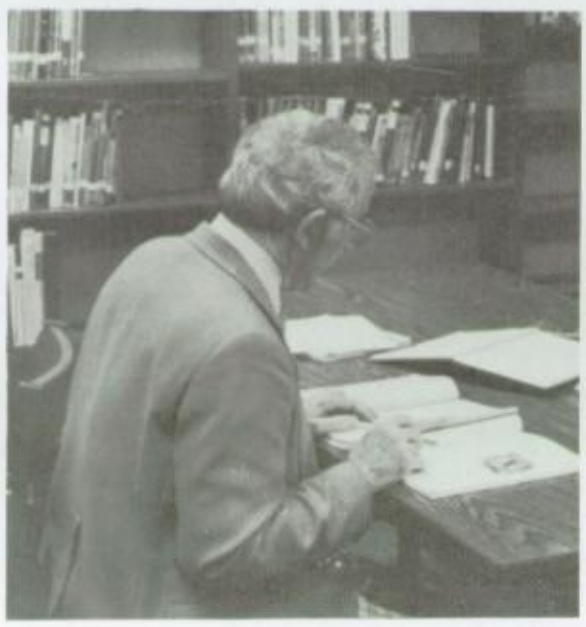
OUR FUTURE LITTLE BIT

IS A
COUNTRY

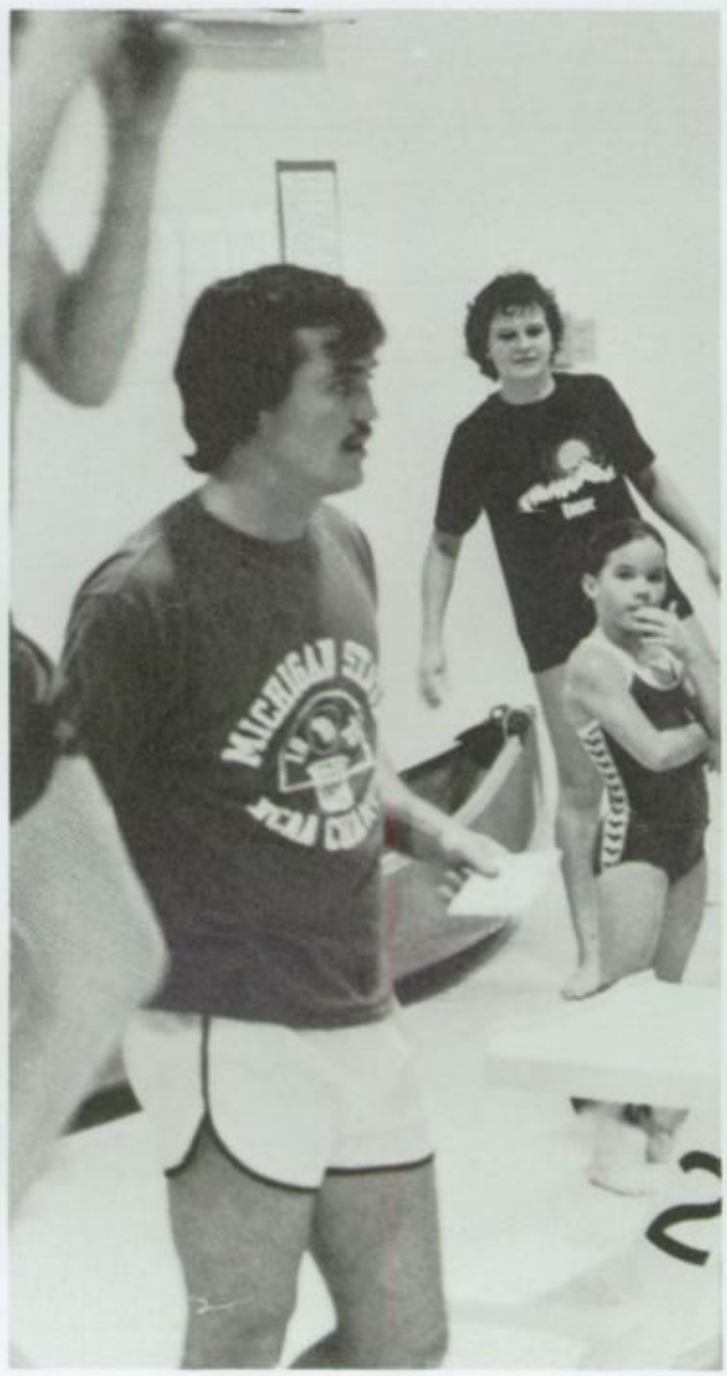
STAFF OF 16 LEADS

Mrs. Mitchel assists **Carrie Ehrsam** in sixth grade English.

Mr. Sprunger catches up during his prep period.



Mr. Hough yells out commands to his middle school swimmers.



Charlene Amtutz, Home Ec.
Alan Arnold, Math
Terry Bantz, Science
Michael Brown, Math

Rebecca Brown, Physical Education
C. Douglas Carr, Science
Richard Dubach, Math
Frank Green Science

MIDDLE SCHOOL

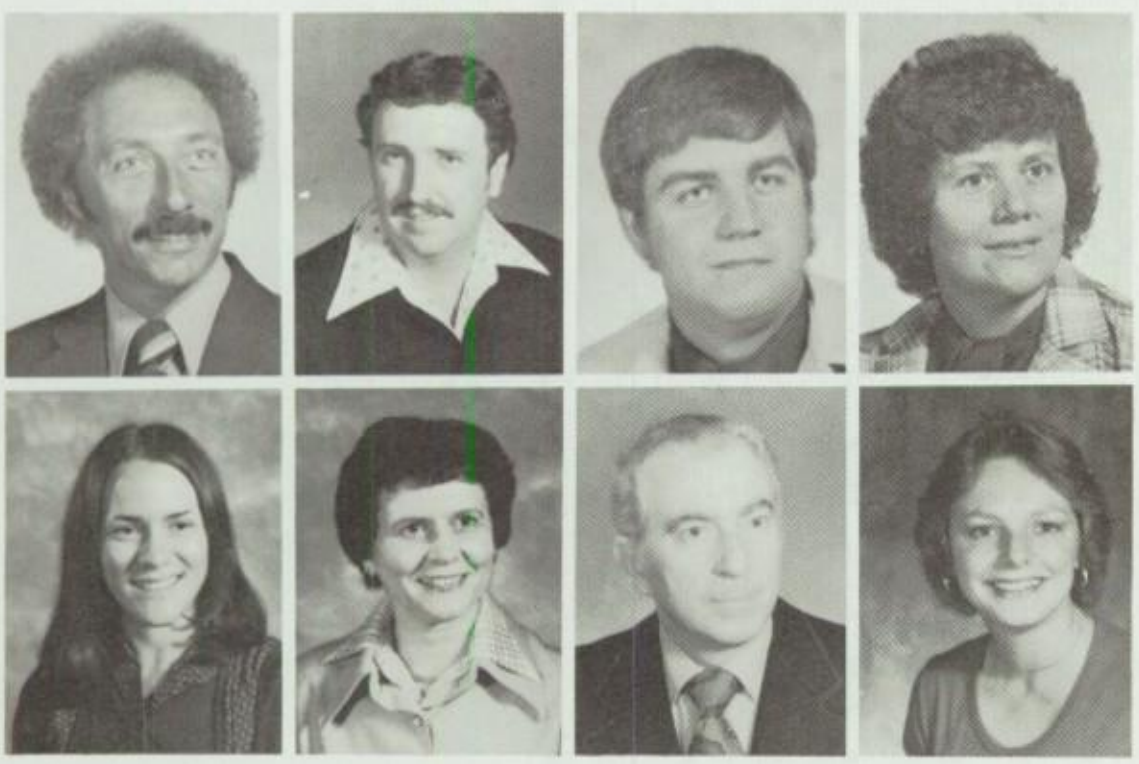
Mr. Henkel listens to **Jason Bluhm's** saxaphone lesson.

Middle School is truly an experience and this year was no exception.

Teachers assisted students by performing a variety of classroom duties. Duties included taking attendance, going over assignments, and giving assignments.

This year one new face was added to the Middle School staff. Mrs. Zurcher replaced Mrs. Wilks in 7th grade English.

The teachers have been a real asset to all their students this year.



Walter Henkel,
Music
Galen McIntosh,
Social Studies
Rick Minnich,
Social Studies
Pat Mitchel,
English

Sarah Rines,
Librarian
Glorida Smith,
Reading
Donald Sprunger,
English
Lauretta Zurcher,
English

Mrs. Rines explains her filling system to **Ann Barger.**

CHALLENGING YEARS AHEAD

For the 8th Grade, this year was busier, funnier, and more hectic than the preceding year.

From the first day to the last these students participated in clubs, sports, and other extra-curricular activities. Awards, play day, activity night, and the annual trip at the end of the year were things looked forward to by the 8th Graders.

Amy Adams
Tammy Arnold
Penny Beer

Kent Brown
Robert Busse
Scott Busse
Julie Butler

Lonnie Chamberlain
Chad Everett
Julie Fawcett
Lisa Fiechter

Gregg Ford
Chris Frauhiger
Jami Gerber
Carol Heimann

Amy Hubbard
Shari Hurst
Shelly Inniger
Bart Lehman
Kim Moser
Dee Newsome
Ann-Marie Nussbaum
Sharon Nussbaum

Linnea Olson
Chad Reynolds
Kim Schmutz
Kathy Bluhm
Scott Bluhm
Deanna Braun
Mark Burry

Jean Byer
Amy Colter
Terry Colwell
Amy Dick
Dan Elzey
Brad Gerber
Bevin Herring
Tonya Hirschy

Greta King
Scott Lautzenheiser
Jenny Liby
Rex McMillen
Matt Myers
Lowell Priser
Debbie Rauch
Paulanna Reidenbach

Robin Roe
Farley Thornsberry
Brent Tonner
Mark Wagner
Lyne Weiland
Tim Yoder
Vickie Zeigler

Dana Baumgartner
Marney Birch
Paul Bluhm
Tina Butler
Charles Dailey
Kim Douglas
Monica Dubach
Pat Feasel

Lisa Fiechter tries to convince **Doyle Weil** which seeds are the best.

Kim Foltz
Nancy Ford

Doug Gerber
Rod Hamilton

Amy Hower
Burt Isch

Margaret Jasso
Jeff Kaehr
Marie Mendoza
Colette Meyer
Stacy Myers
Barry Roe
Todd Schmitt
Scott Smith

Michelle Tricker
Mark Ashley
Tim Breauchy
Jeff Cook
Donald Cummings
Lori Death
Kristi Ehrman

Tammy Elzey
Robert Everett
Sandi Fairchild
Scott Fuelling
Beverly Garwood
Brent Hackenjos
Greg Hill
Nancy Hitchcock
Brent Hodle
Kim Hurst
Chris Jacobs
Tom Kelley
Sim Kipfer
Linda Loshe
Jodi Newcomer
DeeDee Ross

Greg Saunders
Kent Steffen

Craig Thieme
Lydia Wilson

Not Pictured:
Kevin Cook
Marvin Schwartz
Doyle Weil

Mr. Stepp helps **Paul Bluhm** and **Nancy Hitchcock** in woodworking.

SEVENTH FACES CHOICES

Michelle Atkinson
Suze Barger
Matt Bauman

Rick Baumer
Paul Bercot
Tammy Betz
David Bluhm

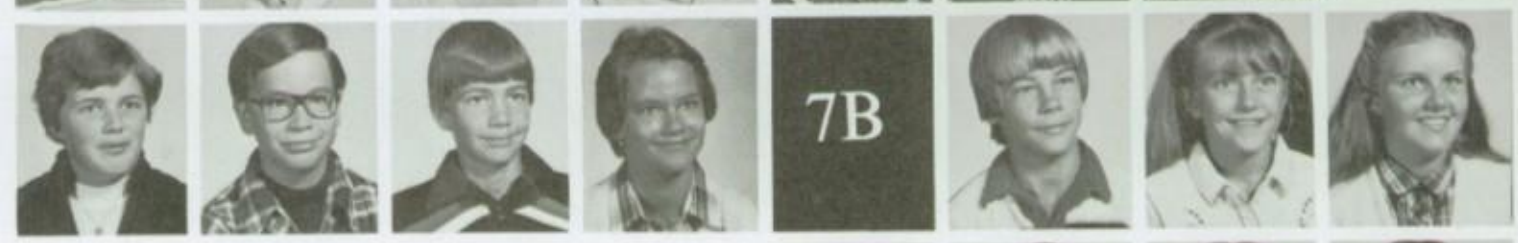
Kim Bluhm
Eric Coil
Lisa Creque
Jenny DeVoss

Tom Eisenmann
Jeff Harruff
Scott Hodle
Dan James

Daryl Johnson
Tammy Kelley
Dana Klenk
Tod Landrum
Leah Lichtenberger
Krishna Longanecker
Deanna Myers
Larry Schwartz

Stephanie Schwartz
Matt Sutter
Tim Tonner
Cindy Urick
Jeff Bluhm

Audra Burkhart
Marie Burkhart



Adding to their already numerous choice of extra classes, the seventh graders were able to join the newspaper staff this year. The other classes they could become involved in were woods, electronics, drafting, foods/sewing, and agriculture. Even after school they gave their all in extra-curricular activities such as band, sports, and cheerleading. They all enjoyed activity night where they were able to swim, play basketball, volleyball, or dance with their classmates and friends.

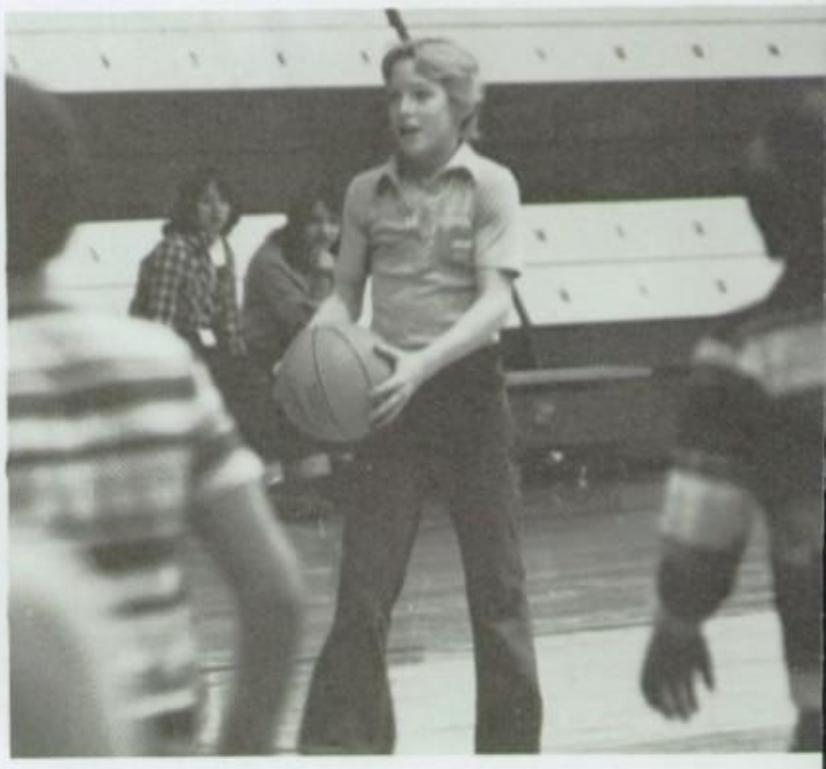
Jennifer Call
John Carroll
Mary Caudle
Jim Collins

Bill Crook
Doug Fosnaugh
Brian Gagle
Tony Gerber

Tonya Hill
Lisa Kahlert
Sam Lengerich
Jeff McCullough

Lana Nussbaum
Duane Roberts
Troy Roe
Brent Schindler

Brandy Allen looks for an opening to pass the ball.



Micki Workinger is distracted from the assembly program.

Kimia Shinabery
Cassie Smitley
Patti Sprunger

Brian Stuckey
Mike Vanhorn
Kent Wittwer

Micki Workinger
Natalie Yager

7C

Brandy Allen
Gretchen Biberstein
Angela Blanton
Eric Braun
Lee Faurote
Lisa Garner
Mary Harrison
Sherri Heindel

Tim Hirschy
Susan Hubble
Lori Jones
Paul Kaehr
Gwen Kipfer
Donald Kitson
Tanya Kowal
Jeff Liechty

Trisha Lough
Lyn Moser
Kathy Oliver
Danny Pyle
Andy Ross
Robert Shoemaker
Michelle Speakman
Roquel Sprunger

7D

Brian Wolfe
Jeannie Atkinson
Shelly Archer
J.D. Bebout
Ann Beer
Gina Black
Andrea Blanton

Chad Brunner
John Dyer
Mike Feller
Rhonda Free
LeAnn Gerber
Jill Hill
Kara Isch
David Jackson

Wendy Kipfer
Jackie Newcomer
Dan Reidenbach
Rachael Ringger
Doug Schultz
Mickie Settle
Rod Shoaf
Gregg Snyder

Todd Steffen
Teresa Strait
Dean Tonner
Roger Wilson

Not Pictured:
Omar Longoria
David Schwartz
Melvin Schwartz

SIXTH GRADERS ADJUST

Steve Andrews
Joan Arnold
Lori Baker
Jay Bertsch
Devone Bowman
Danny Breauchy
Becky Byerly

Jeff Chrisman
Steve Christner
Matt Cook
Don Cox
Kim Evans
Wendi Gerber
Doug Hedington
Mike Heiser

Scott Isch
Deana Lehman
D.J. Loshe
Wendy Petitt
Shaun Roe
Krissy Schwaller
Julie Smith
Renea Swygart

Ann Barger
Jason Bluhm
Jenni Bluhm
Mark Cook
Matt Donaghy
Carrie Ehrsam
Jolene Frank

Denise Girod
John Hartman
Scott Hill
Jenny Hubbard
Troy Leyse
Brett Mann
Rod Miller
Cheryl Nussbaum

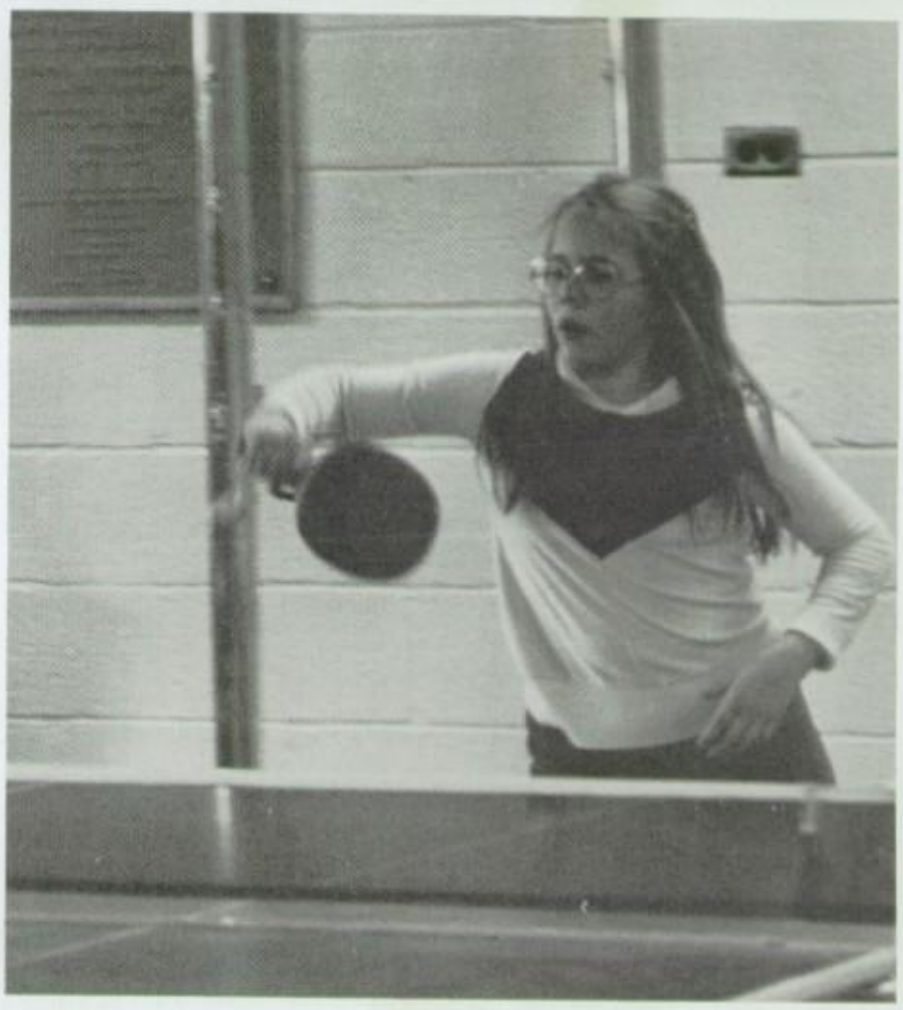
Lisa Pritt
Laura Rich
Brad Riley

Missy Schmutz
Carol Smith
Chris Steffen

Keith Tackett
Steve Weber
Patti Wilson

Kim Achleman
Curt Amstutz

Dan Beer
Tim Beery
Cathy Bercot

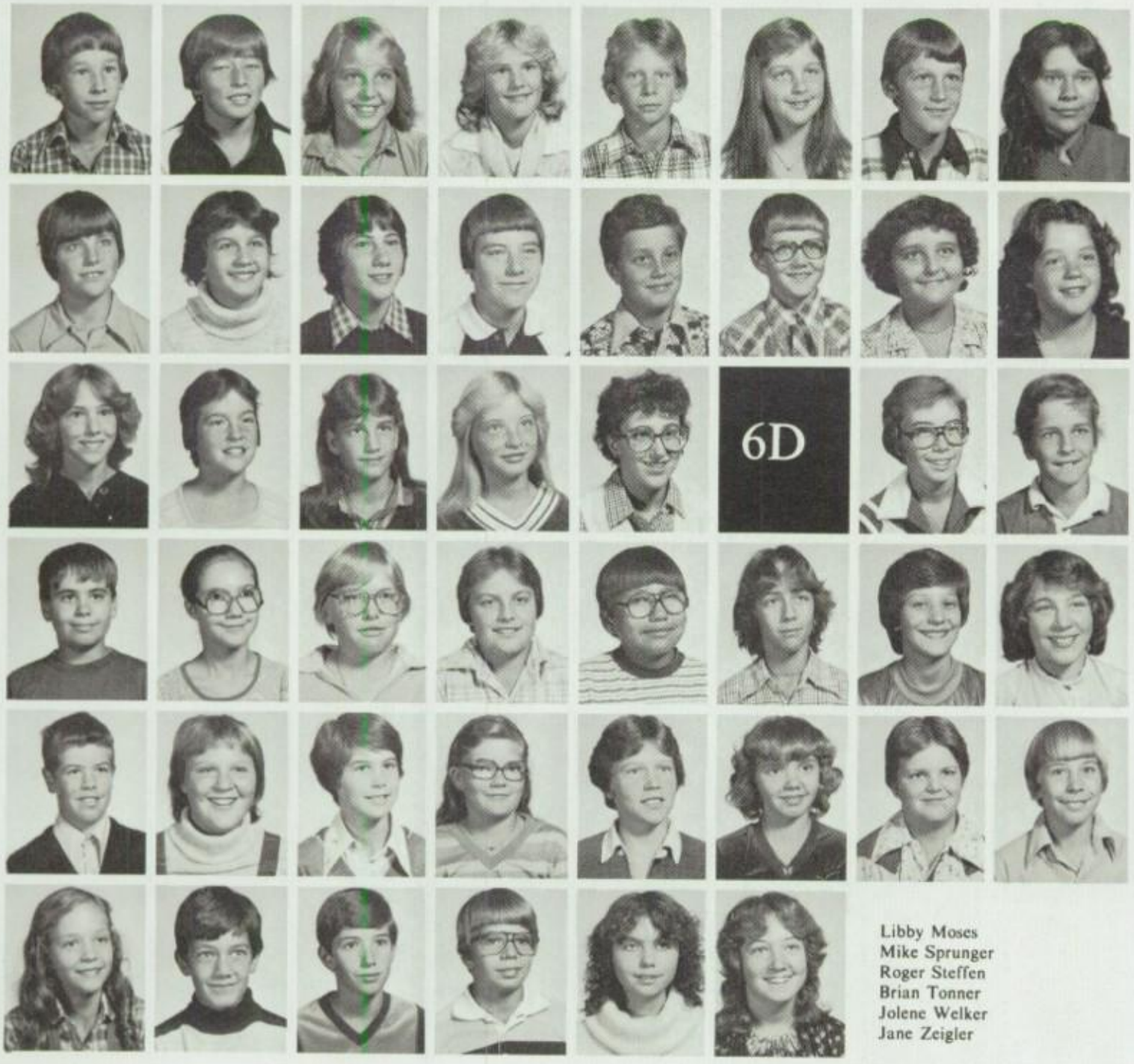


Laura Rich displays her talents in a very popular indoor sport.

Jenny Hubbard and **Roger Steffen** watch as **Missy Schmutz** returns a tough serve.

Despite the fact that the sixth grade students were new to the territory, they adjusted quickly and easily to the junior high atmosphere. Even though they didn't participate in sports along with the sevneth and eighth grade students they gave their full support at basketball and football games.

The sixth graders thoroughly enjoyed activity day, a day where they could participate in many different competitions, outdoors.



Jon Bryan
Doug Busse
Kristie Byerly
Kim Fuelling
Kip Gerber
Theresa Heimann
Joe Isch
Irene Jasso

Phil Kaehr
Cara Loshe
Amy Michaels
Bobby Mitchel
Forrest Pyle
Shane Reynolds
Linda Schaadt
Karen Schultz

LaDana Smith
Tammy Sprunger
Tonia Tonner
Mary Wagner
Cheryl Workinger
Tim Bluhm
Richie Braun

Todd Brown
Heidi Cavanaugh
Dwayne Dailey
John Deathe
Mike Else
Carla Faurote
Cami Fellers
Renee Gerber

Rodney Harkless
Susan Kaehr
Michele Kipfer
Connie Lamons
Chris Liby
Tammy Lough
Shawn Mere
Lynn Middendorff

Libby Moses
Mike Sprunger
Roger Steffen
Brian Tonner
Jolene Welker
Jane Zeigler

Not Pictured:
Adam Schwartz
Bertha Schwartz

MIDDLE SCHOOLERS KEEP BUSY

Student Council

The Middle School was kept very busy this year with their various activities.

The Student Council sponsored varied activities from the activity night, which featured a sock hop and gym use, to perfect attendance awards.

The newspaper kept busy turning out "What's Happening" A total of eight issues were printed. The Middle School newspaper was an elective class this year, so the staff changed every nine weeks.

The sixth, seventh, and eighth grade bands performed at the fall, winter, and spring concerts, as well as putting on a half time show at a football game.

Eighth Grade Chorus

"What's Happening." staff

AAU Swim Team

Sixth Grade Band

Seventh and Eighth Grade Band

Michelle Speakman concentrates on the spelling of her next word.

8th Grade Cheerleaders-(Bottom) Lisa Fiechter, Amy Adams (Middle) Linnea Olson, Greta King, Colette Meyer, Shari Hurst (Top) Dee Newsome, Tonya Hirschy.

7th Grade Cheerleaders-(Bottom) Cassie Smitley, Mary Caudle, Jennifer Call (Middle) Natalie Yager, Suzie Barger, Michelle Speakman (Top) Lisa Creque, Audra Burkhart.

Middle School Boys' Track Team

"New school record, again!" were familiar words this year at the Middle School boys' and girls' track meets.

These tracksters showed that hard work and dedication meant success as the girls' team broke every record except three field events and two running events. They placed fifth in the Jay County Relays, fifth in ACAC, and 3-4 overall.

The boys' track team ended with a 1-7 dual meet record and placed seventh in ACAC. Highlights appeared in Bart Lehman's school records in the hurdles, 800 meter run, and 400 meter run.

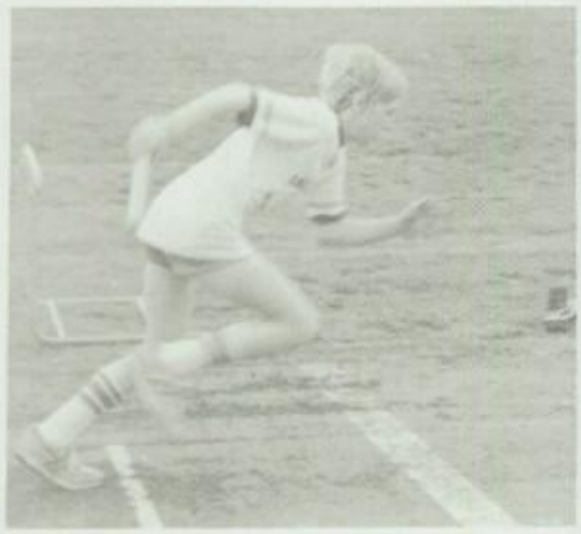
With a new cheerleading sponsor, the 7th and 8th grade squads spent hours learning new mounts and chants. Cindy Longenberger took over supervising the cheerleaders, helping them with pep sessions and techniques.

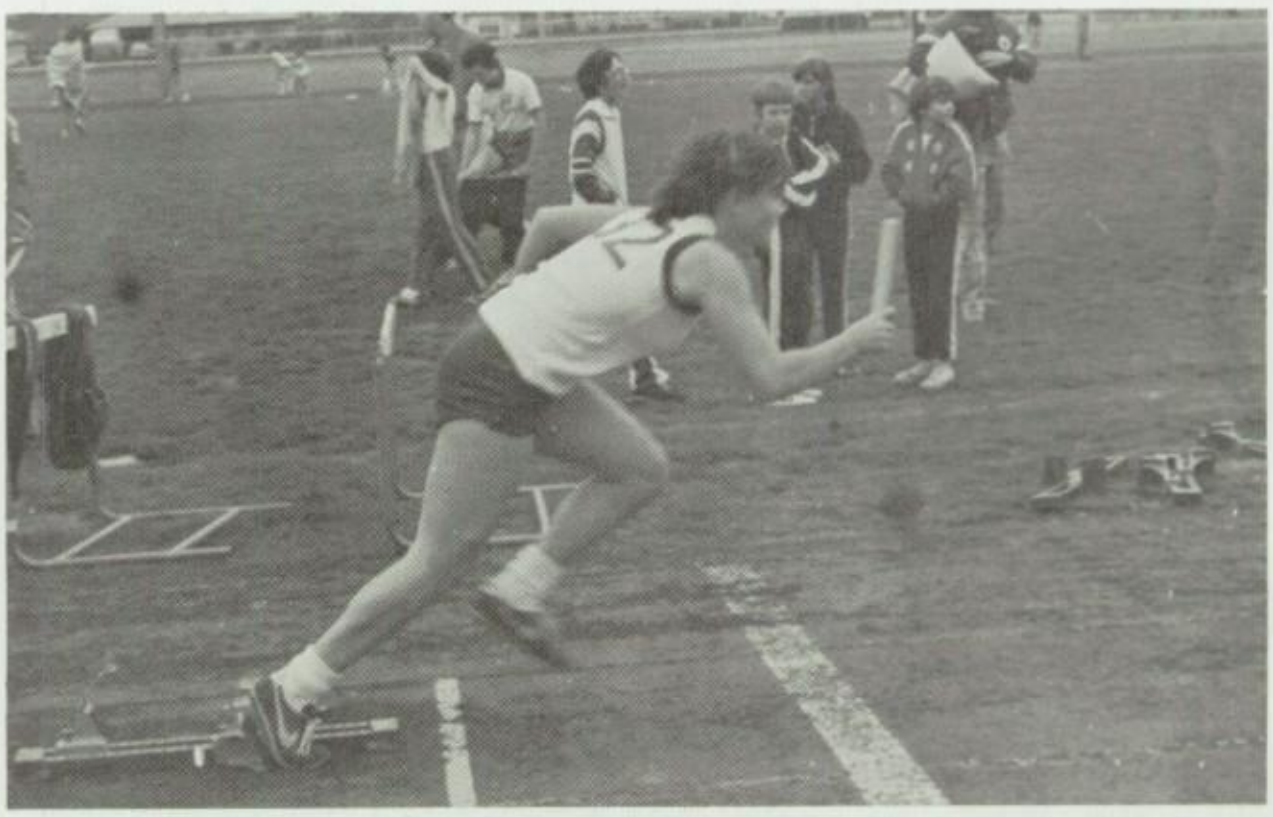
Middle School Girls' Track Team

RECORD BREAKING YEAR

Natalie Yager starts the first leg of the 400 meter relay.

Brandy Allen gets ready for the baton exchange.





Bart Lehman pushes himself to finish in a record time.

The 7th grade cheerleaders lead the crowd in the chant "Fight!"

Middle School Wrestling Team

With inexperience being the major weakness, the 7th grade basketball team ended with a 2-14 record. The 8th grade had a successful season, going 8-8.

Numbers didn't count as the 8th grade girls basketball team proved that right, ending 8-5. The 7th grade girls had a harder time with a 4-6 season.

Each participant will profit from the experience he has gained in the middle school wrestling program. Coached by Tom Walsh and Jack Bertsch the team had a great season.

JUNIOR JETS LEARN BASICS

7th Grade Basketball Team

Good screening helps out the Jets bring down the rebound.

8th Grade Basketball Team

8th Grade Girls Basketball Team

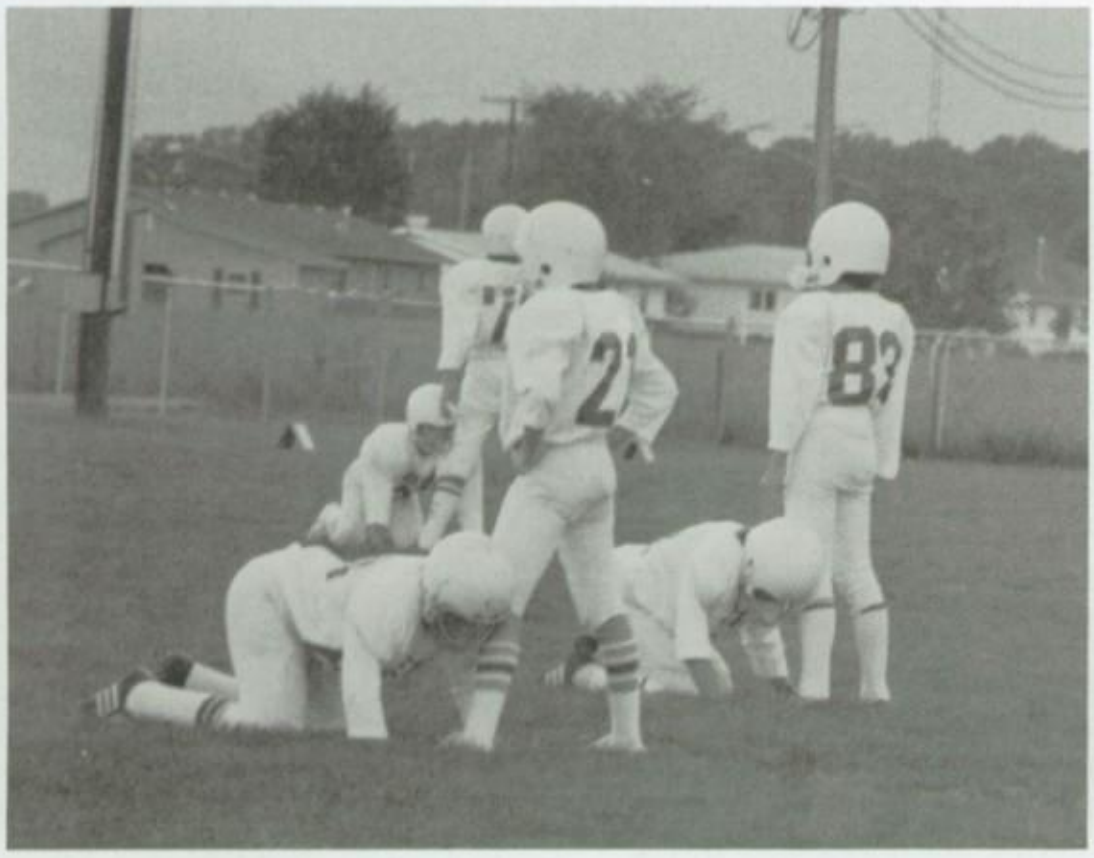
Greg Snyder and **Rick Baumer** try to out rebound a much taller opponent.

7th Grade Girls Basketball Team

Chad Everett goes for a reversal during the Bellmont match.

Gina Black gets the tip off against Parkway.

ATHLETES SHOW ABILITY



Jackie Newcomer bumps the ball to a teammate in preparation for the spike.

Pregame warm-ups enable gridders to get ready for the game.

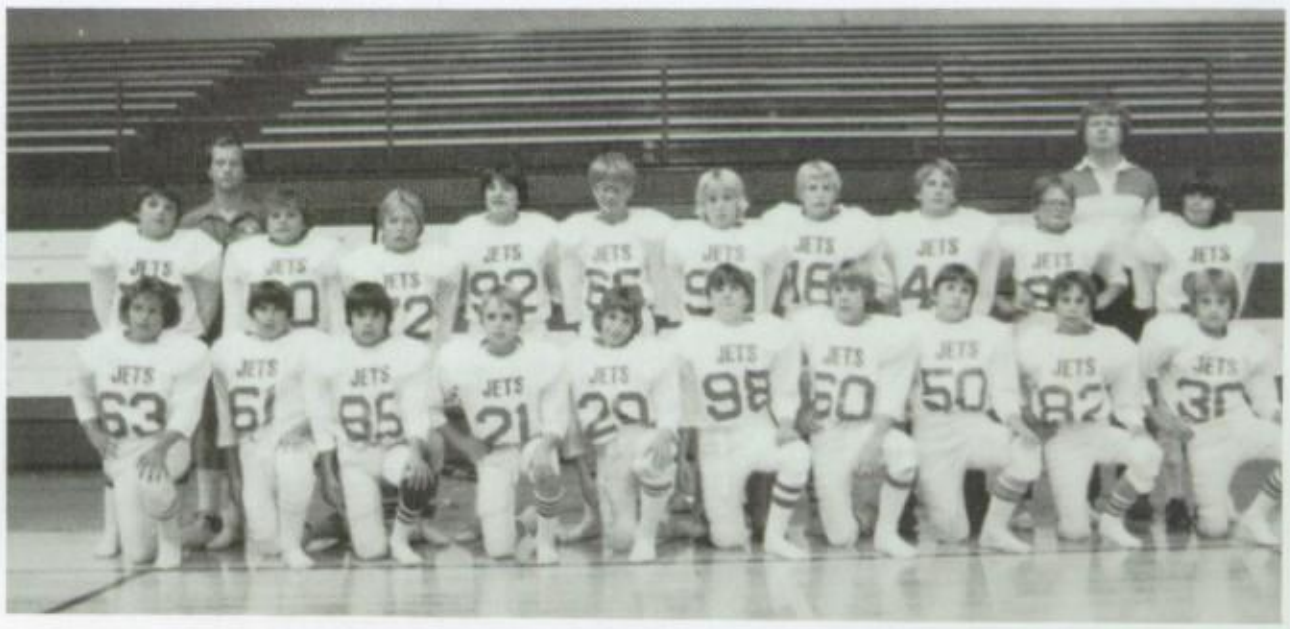
8th Grade Football Team

Learning the fundamentals and gaining experience were the goals stressed in Middle School Sports.

The eighth grade football squad showed their ability with a 4-1-1 record. Focusing on running plays and learning the basics, the seventh grade football had a 1-6 season.

Ending runner-up in both the ACAC and the County Tourney meant a lot to the eighth grade volleyball team as they managed a 8-4 record. The B team ended the season with a 1-4 record. The seventh grade A team participated in 8 games this year and brought home a 2-6 record while the B team went 0-5.

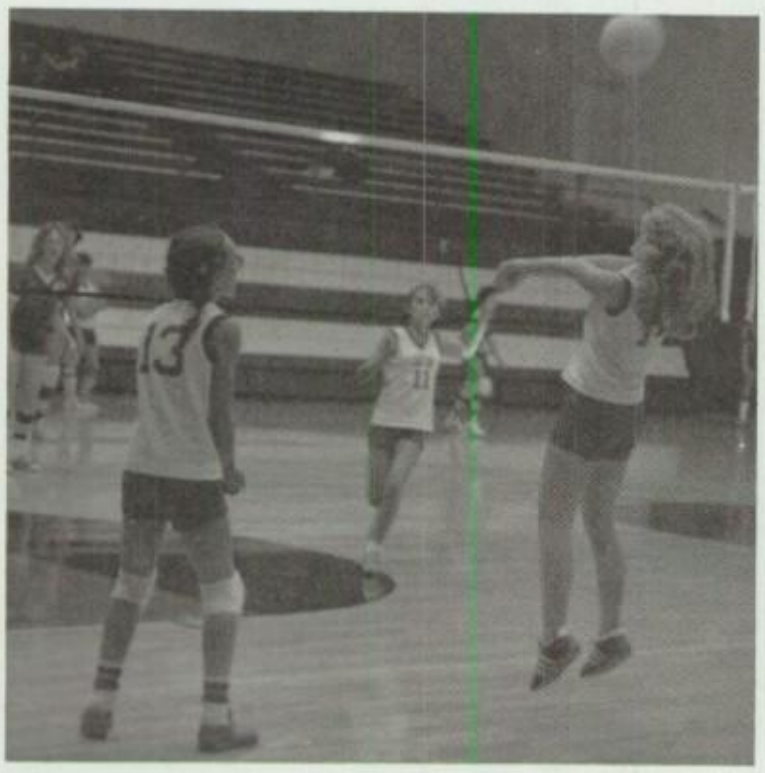
With a competitive attitude, the Cross Country team earned a 3-8 mark and placed fifth in conference.



7th Grade Football Team

FUNDAMENTALS STRESSED

Michelle Speakman concentrates on the ball to make a good return.



8th Grade Volleyball Team

Middle School Cross Country Team

Richie Braun and **Curt Amstutz** confer with **Coach Smith.**

7th Grade Volleyball Team

ELEMENTARY-BACK TO BASICS

Iona Amspaugh,
Reading
Connie Aschliman,
5B
Deborah Bonham,
1B
Kay Corle,
1C

Teresa Dustman,
3D
Barbara Gerber,
5C
Deborah Glentzer,
Librarian
Art Habegger,
Physical Education

Martha Habegger,
1A
Phyllis Johnson,
4D
Susan Keller,
Special Education
Kathy Kolter,
3A

Roberta Lehman,
1D
Jean Lengerich,
4C
Linda Litmer,
2B
Cindy Longenberger,
KB, KD

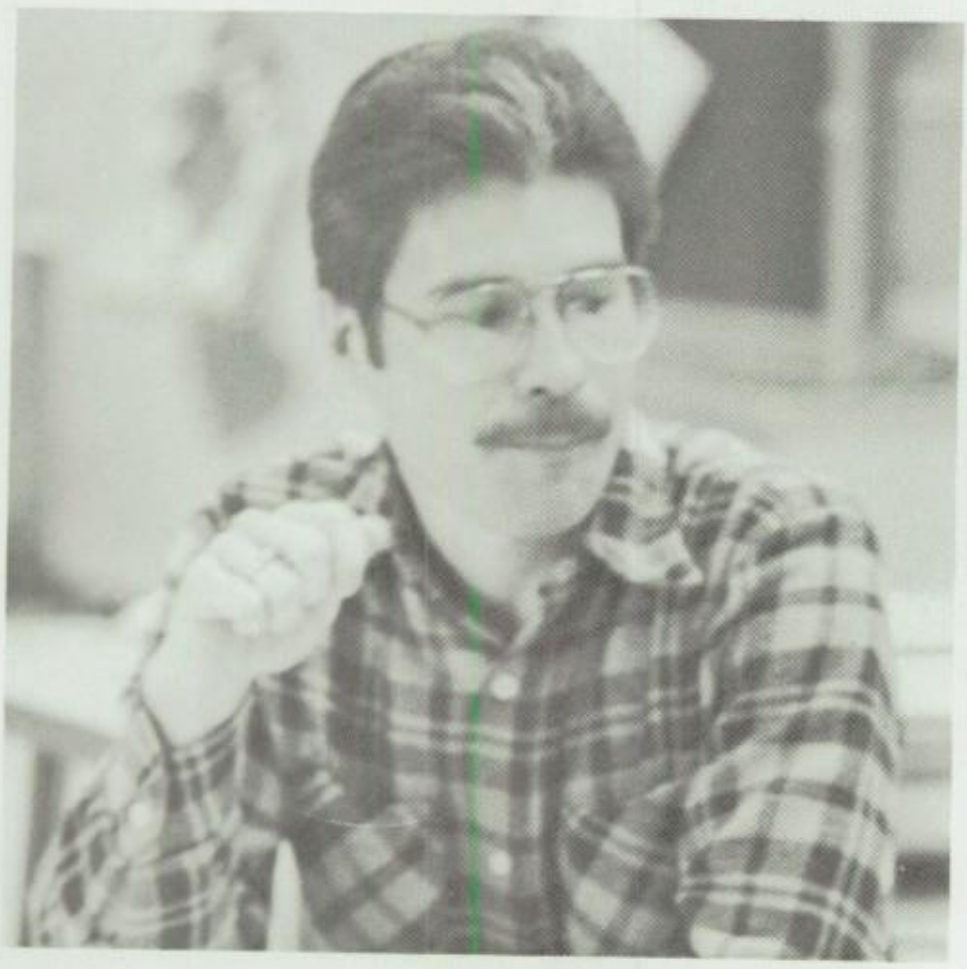
Teaching the basics and instilling the fundamentals of the 3R's, teachers played a major role in each and every elementary student's life.

Educating the students in a variety of units, ranging from the cowhands in the first grade to the baseball players in the second, are just a few of the elementary teacher's tasks.

Miss Amspaugh receives an enthusiastic response to a question concerning her Phonics lesson.

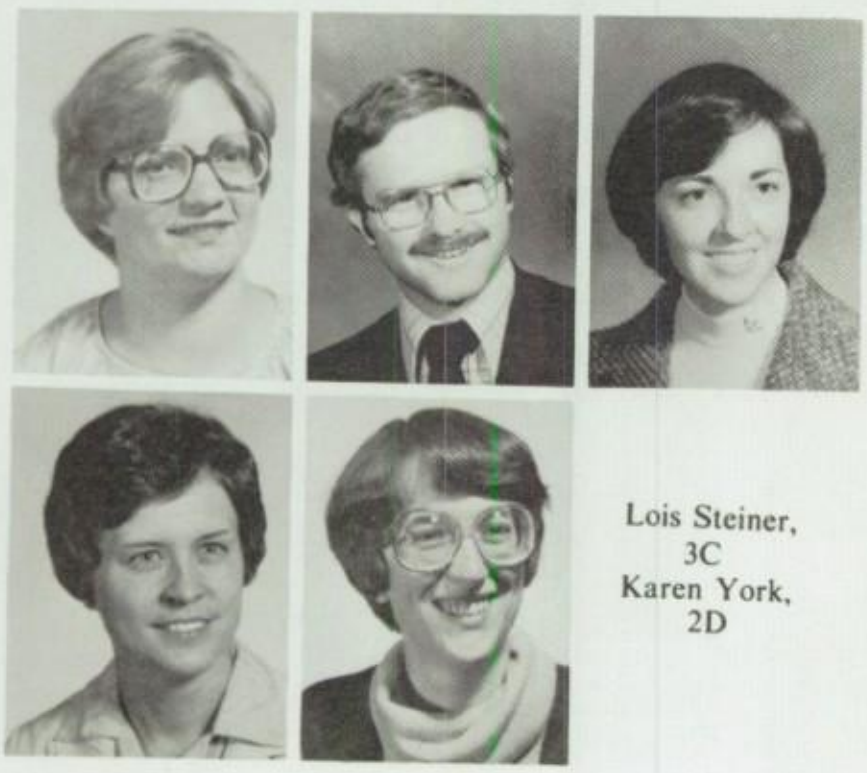
Helen Mayer,
4A
Gerda Mazelin,
Art
Marcia Miller,
2C
Elinor Morris,
Music

Steve Mugg,
3B
Barbara Myers,
5D
Vivian Ogden,
2A
Bette Ross,
KC



Assisting students in classwork is just one of **Mrs. Habegger's** many duties.

A bewildered **Mr. Mugg** finds planning another days track practice and teaching 3rd graders quite time consuming.



Rachel Schaadt,
5A
Jon Smith,
4B
Jody Snyder,
Speech/Hearing

Lois Steiner,
3C
Karen York,
2D

FIFTH GRADERS ACTIVE

Kelli Bacon
Karen Black
Mike Brown
Trisha Butler
Jeff Carroll
Kurt Combs
Raquel Cook

Kelly Griffiths
Mark Habegger
Jeff Hamilton
Larry Heiman
Jennifer Hill
Kami Isch
Dion James
Michele Johnson

Lora Kipfer
Mike Miller
Megan Myers
June Ringger
Kim Roth
Mark Rydell
Jon Sheets
Mark Sheets

Lisa Sommer
Sharlene Steffen
Cris Stucky
Tim Wilkins
Tammy Aschleman
Lisa Bertsch
Steve Bluhm

Mia Brunner
Matt Burkhart
Brian Burris
Ricki Fairchild
Jodi Fox
Nanette Gallogly
Kerry Girod
Kim Harkless

Charlie Hill
Kelli Hower
Deatra Lehman
Merle Liter
Jacqui May
Rendell Miller
Jill Ringger
Laura Roudebush

Tricia Schrock
Mike Schug
Ricky Shoemaker
Raquel Swygart

Nicole Weiland
Brad Yoder
Pat Abbott

Robin Alberts
Brent Butler
Angela Chamberlain
Nikki Cook

John Dague
John DeVoss
Steven Feller
Cammy Frauhiger

Fifth grade students wait anxiously for the 2:55 bell to ring.

Nikki Harruff
Melissa Joseph
Natashia Kowal
Krista Lengerich
Jamie Lloyd
Ann Loshe
Cindy Mailloux
Jodi McMillen

Chadd Moore
Reid Moser
Mike Nelson
Fernando Peralez
Kandi Schinnerer
Shaunda Schug
Caryl Schwaller
Jeremy Schwartz

Steve Smith
Matt Sprunger
Christie Arnold
Judy Becher
Dean Biberstein
Austin Birch
Jim Byer

Holly Colter
Amy Douglas
Troy Fleming
Jeff Ford
Connie Gase
Sam Griffiths
Laurie Hackenjos
David Haessig

Tim Hartman
Cassie Jaurequi
Trisha Landrum
Stacey Luginbill
Sue Marbach
Mindy Myers
Todd Nussbaum
Marty Pierce

Theresa Riley
Troy Roth
Kristy Sovine
Stacey Stucky
Missy Williams

Not Pictured:
Mark Boxell
Delmer Combs
Ruth Schwartz

Tonia Copeland concentrates on her school work in an unusual studying position.

Mia Brunner and **Tricia Schrock** display eagerness to go home at the end of another day.

The fifth grade had an active year. They traveled to Indianapolis, participated in Colonial Craft Day, and held a Science Day.

While they were in Indianapolis, they visited the Children's Museum. They saw exhibits on space, sound, and electricity. They also walked through a limestone cave, and a pioneer section.

Colonial Craft Day was another exciting day. Each student made individual squares and made them into a colorful quilt.

Another of the many activities the 5th graders participated in was Science Day. They learned all about the planets, did experiments, and other activities.

All of these activities helped conclude their last year as elementary students.

FOURTH GRADERS

Jim Agler
Becky Baumer
Matt Birch
Greg Byer
Rhonda Collins
Michelle Conrad
Bill Dague

Michelle DeArmond
Keith Gledhill
Amy Hirschy
Craig Hirschy
Jodi Hurst
Kim Jesionowski
Chris Johnston
Sara Kipfer

Stan Miller
Trena Roe
Amy Ross
Nicole Schwartz
Dale Shifferly
Allison Speakman
Ronnie Steffen
Jeremy Stewart

Shelli Tonner
Tina Whitacre
Joel Zeigler

Alissa Atkinson
Kara Baumgartner
Jodi Beer
Brent Byerly

Mark Cavanaugh
Jim Chrisman
Dee Coalson
Rick Cook

Susan Crook
Michelle Davidson
Kristine Furno
Brian Heyerly

During study time **Mrs. Lengerich** helps **Scott Werst** with his homework.

Craig Heyerly
Richie Huffman
Mary Isch
John Longanecker
Jeff Lough
Jim Marbach
Amy Moore
Tammy Pruden

Matt Rambo
Laura Sapp
Dawn Sutter
Angela Zerkelbach
Jenny Alberts
Robin Andrews
Jeff Birch

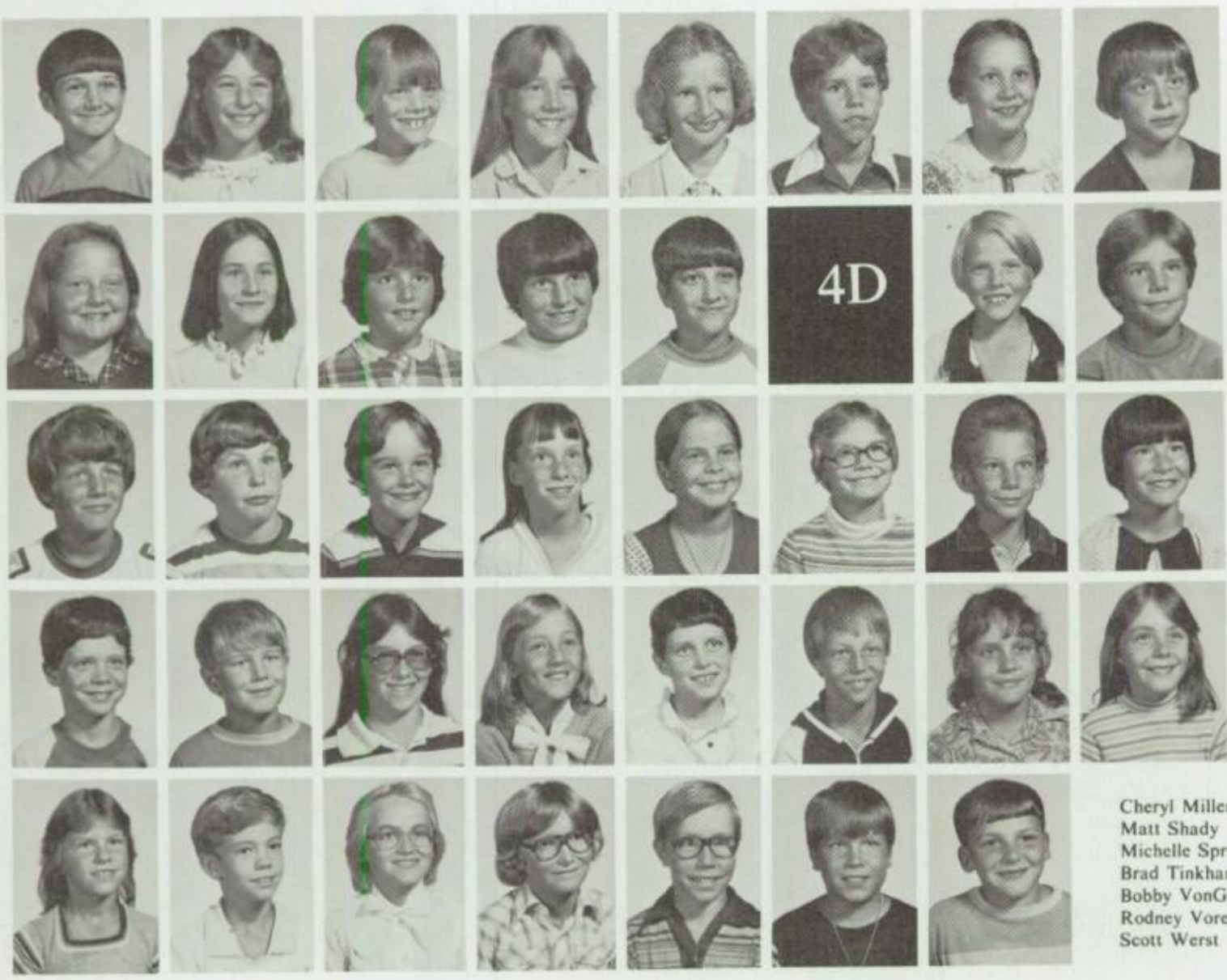
Mike Braun
Jeremy Brown
Bobby Dague
David Fosnaugh
Terry Free
Amy Gerber
Rachelle Glass
Stan Hill

VISIT ARCHWAY

The fourth graders work intensely to improve their music for the Christmas Concert.

The fourth graders had a very active year as they took a field trip to Ft. Wayne and visited the Archway cookie factory. Their day was filled with fun and surprises, just as their stomach's were.

They all participated in "Pioneer Day," as the boys made log cabins and the girls made bonnets.



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Julie Johnson
Scott Kaehr
Eran Karbach
Melanie Martin
Jon Newcomer
Lynette Roberts
Tony Ross

Rhonda Shoaf
Kim Spaw
Kelley Stucky
Tim Tricker
Matt Werst
Scott Andrews
Craig Birch

Todd Busse
Mark Cowans
Craig Edgar
Emily Eicher
Elizabeth Ehrsam
Missy Fuelling
Red Gerber
Sue Girdo

Ricky Grassley
Rick Hirschy
Kristi Lautzenheiser
Daphne Lehman
Holly Liby
Shawn Liter
Jennifer Lloyd
Lori McAlhaney

Cheryl Miller
Matt Shady
Michelle Sprunger
Brad Tinkham
Bobby VonGunten
Rodney Vore
Scott Werst

THIRD STUDIES NATURE

Chrisy Black
Cynthia Bluhm
Marybeth Braun
Brian Ford
Cynthia Gase
Billy Gilson
Lonnie Grube

Kirby Harkless
Tim Jackson
Jenny Johnson
Missy Kauffman
Kara Kipfer
Jennie Lehman
Anita Loshe
Jake Mere

Angela Morningstar
Heath Reidenbach
Brooke Roe
Tracie Roe
Rod Salway
Cherie Stucky
Chris Taylor
David Uhrich

Heather Braun

For Dental Health Week, the cast performed the play, "The Trial of Tillie Tooth."

Jeff Burry
Shawn Busse

Christina Corral
Curt Foltz

Eric Gerber
Nick Gerber

Amy Girod
Michael Hamilton
Renee Harkless
Natalie Kipfer
Cassie Klenk
Todd Klenk
Marc Luginbill
Brenda Nicodemus

Jeff Olson
Tobi Schorey
Louie Schwaller
Tonya Sprunger
Lyndsey Weiland
Chris Wulliman
Heather Zurcher

Jeff Amstutz
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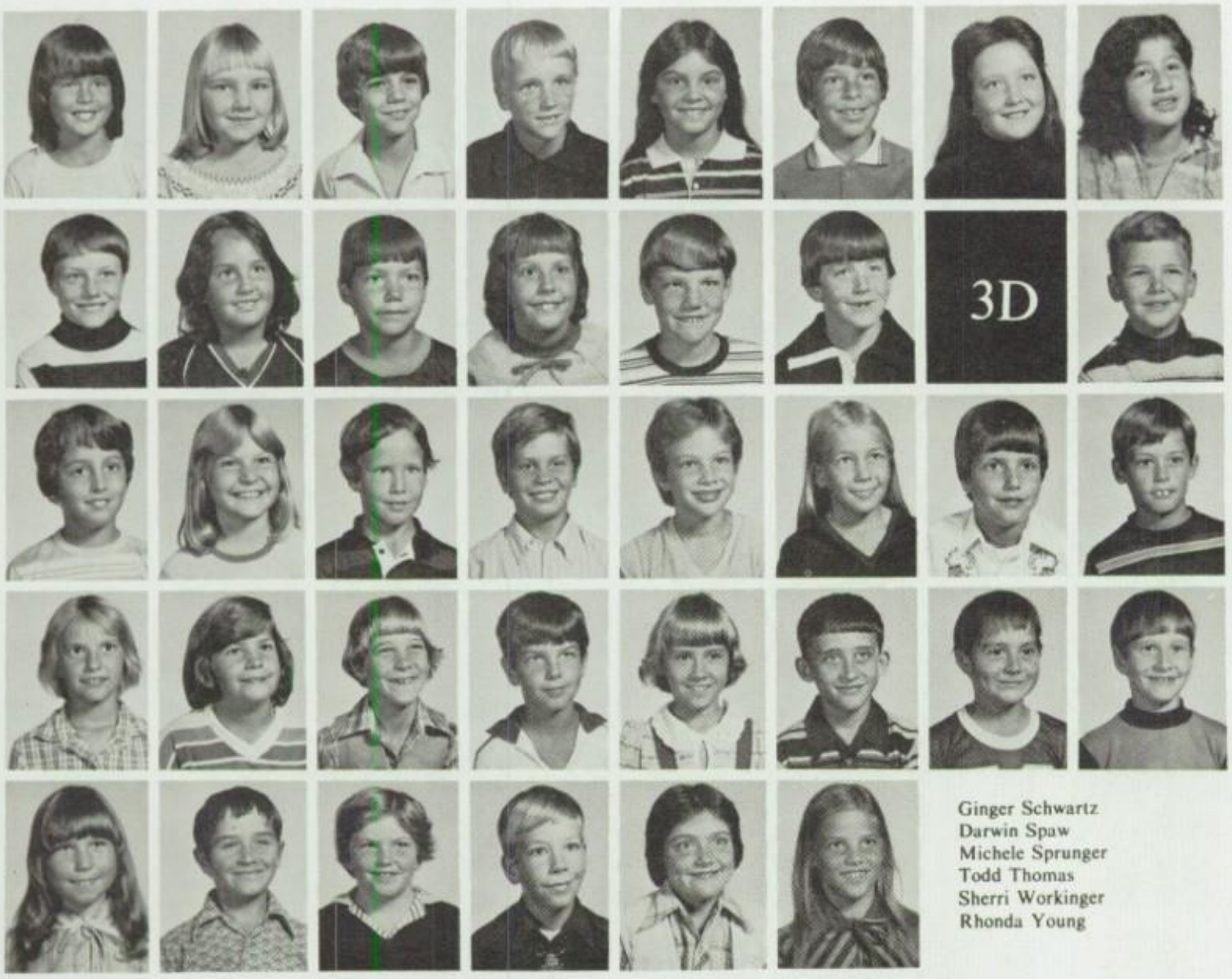
Michael Hamrick



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Tamber Hirschy
David Hurst
Jason Johnson
Cheri McCullough
Eric Mies
Petula Myers
Rita Peralez

Trent Reynolds
Jenny Riley
Andy Schultz
Julie Stucky
Mike Williams
James Zeser
Lonnie Biberstein

Mike Cox
Dawn Dick
Nathan Ellenberger
Mark Griffiths
Julie Harmon
Tamara Heiman
Matt Henkle
Eric Hesher

Angela Jackson
Niki Johnston
Todd Krueckeberg
Jon Leyse
Pam Ringger
Wm. T. Ripley
Randy Rydell
Doug Schwartz

Ginger Schwartz
Darwin Spaw
Michele Sprunger
Todd Thomas
Sherri Workinger
Rhonda Young

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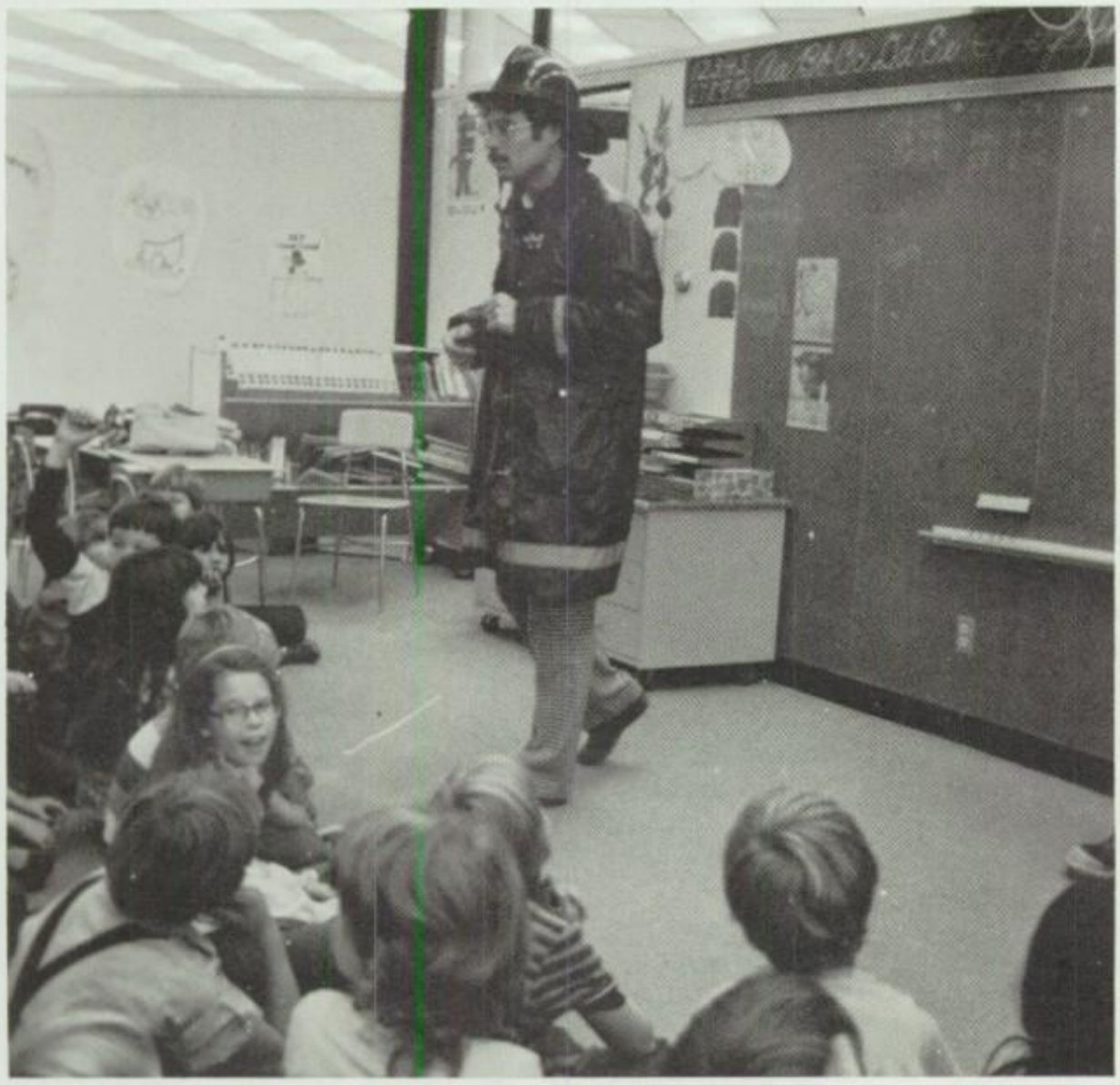
Shawn Isch
Heather Light
Kara McDaniels
Hartey Schwartz
James Schwartz
Levi Schwartz



Third graders listen eagerly to **Mr. Mugg** as he talks to them about fire safety.

The third grade students took part in a nature study and campout. The students started their nature study unit by visiting Quabache State Park, observing pond, forest, yard and soil.

The students were visited by two professional hockey players, Tim Dunlop and Gary Delonge of the Ft. Wayne Komets and talked to the students about hockey. Each student received a free pass and a signed program by the players.

The students also took their annual field trip to the Shrine Circus.

Through these experiences each student gained a new insight into nature and people.

VARIETY AIDS 2nd GRADE

Jack Adkinson
Adam Agler
Heidi Beer
Jeremy Byer
Michele Byrd
Chad Currie
Kerry Frank

Jason Girod
Ruth Ann Harkless
Kim Heckert
Tracy Hedrick
Shawn Isch
Laura Joseph
Jeremy Kaylor
Matt LaFontaine

Stacy Lee
Jeff Loshe
LaNae Moser
Geoff Preston
Ellen Pyle
Denise Rambo
April Roe
Amy Sheets

Sherri Allen
Jon Arnold
Ronald Aschliman
David Bauman
Jodi Cauble
Jennifer Dailey
Tara Dubach

Shane Gerber
Nicholas Girod
Myron Haines
Kristine Heyerly
Jeremy Hontz
Rose Jones
Rachel Longsworth
Matt Martin

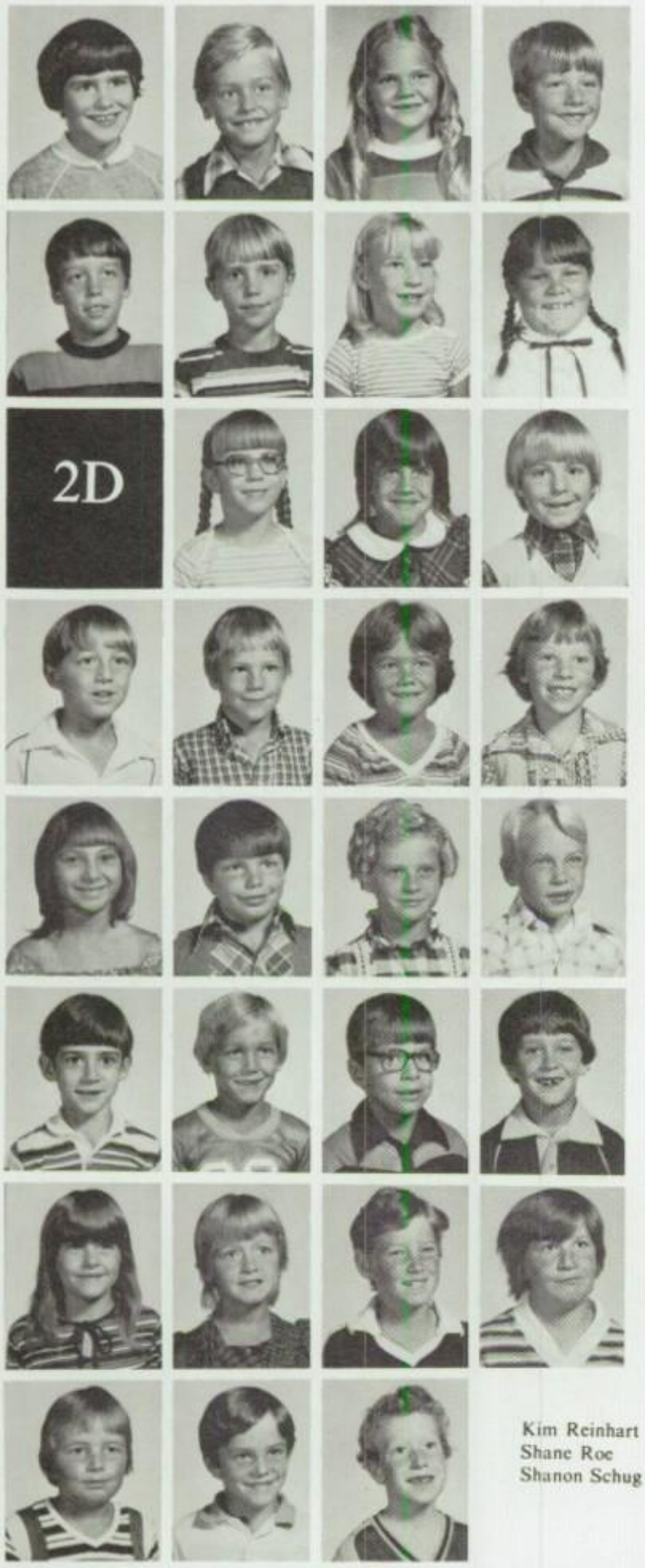
Christina Miller
Tim Morgan
Daniel Plasterer
Julie Rydell
Tracy Schrock
Ricky Sovine
Tammi Werst
Stephanie Westhoven

Amy Agler
J.B. Baumgartner
Crista Bluhm
Kathy Burkhart
Marc Cox
Tina Daniels
Lora Fairchild

Jesse Foreman
Catherine Furno
Craig Gilbert
Brian Hesher

Mike Hill
Mike Huffman
Doug Isch
Dion Jordon

Nichole Rauch celebrates Christmas by breaking a homemade piñata.



Heidi Kipfer
Chad Lantz
Krista Moser
Brent Olson

Chad Ringger
Darin Ringger
Micki Ringger
Heather Yager

Leanna Allspaw
Michelle Bracey
Jeremy Braun

Troy Burkholder
Matt DeVoss
Denise Edgar
Kris Feller

Karen Gerber
Wes Gerber
Julie Hamrick
John Hatfield

Tim Hindenlang
Jon Hurst
Brent Kaehr
Kent Kershner

Julie Moore
Amy Petitt
DeLaine Pierce
Nichole Rauch

Kim Reinhart
Shane Roe
Shanon Schug

Who says the second grade has no "hams"?

In second grade, the students experience many varied activities. A baseball-math unit coincided with the World Series. All of the students competed in their own classrooms to determine each corner's winner in an addition facts flashdown. They celebrated in real ball park style with a bag of popcorn.

Something new this year was a unit about Indians. The students were able to make various Indian crafts, ranging from weaving to totem poles.

At Christmas, the children learned how Mexico celebrates the holidays, by making and breaking pinatas.

In March they learned about nutrition and had a food tasting party. Each of the four corners represented one of the four food groups with an assortment of foods from that group.

The year concluded with a zoo unit and a trip to the Fort Wayne Children's Zoo.

Denise Edgar, Kim Reinhart, and **Matt DeVoss** brush up on their flash cards for the math World Series.

MEANWHILE BACK AT THE RANCH . . .

Jeff Bertsch
Todd Braun
Diane Breauchy
Stephanie Chamberlain
Matt Ellenberger
Tim Feller
Laura Gagle

Kim Gallogly
Jaila Gerber
Doug Habegger
Karen Haessig
Candi Hargett
Robbie Landis
Matt Liter
Charissa McCullough

Ked Moser
Amy Nestleroad
Andy Poling
James Roudebush
Ryan Salway
Denny Schwartz
Mark Schwartz
Shelly Shady

Robin Sutter
Brian Vanhorn
Roberta Wulliman
Missy Berry
Chrissy Bleeke
Trisha Bluhm
Sean Brown

Scott Burry
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Brian Douglas
Jon Fisher
Michael Gerber
Amy Girod
Kelly Harkless
Trent Hoffman

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Charlie Loshe
Andy Lockwood
Brent Luginbill
Michelle Mann
Derek Miller
Deatra Roe

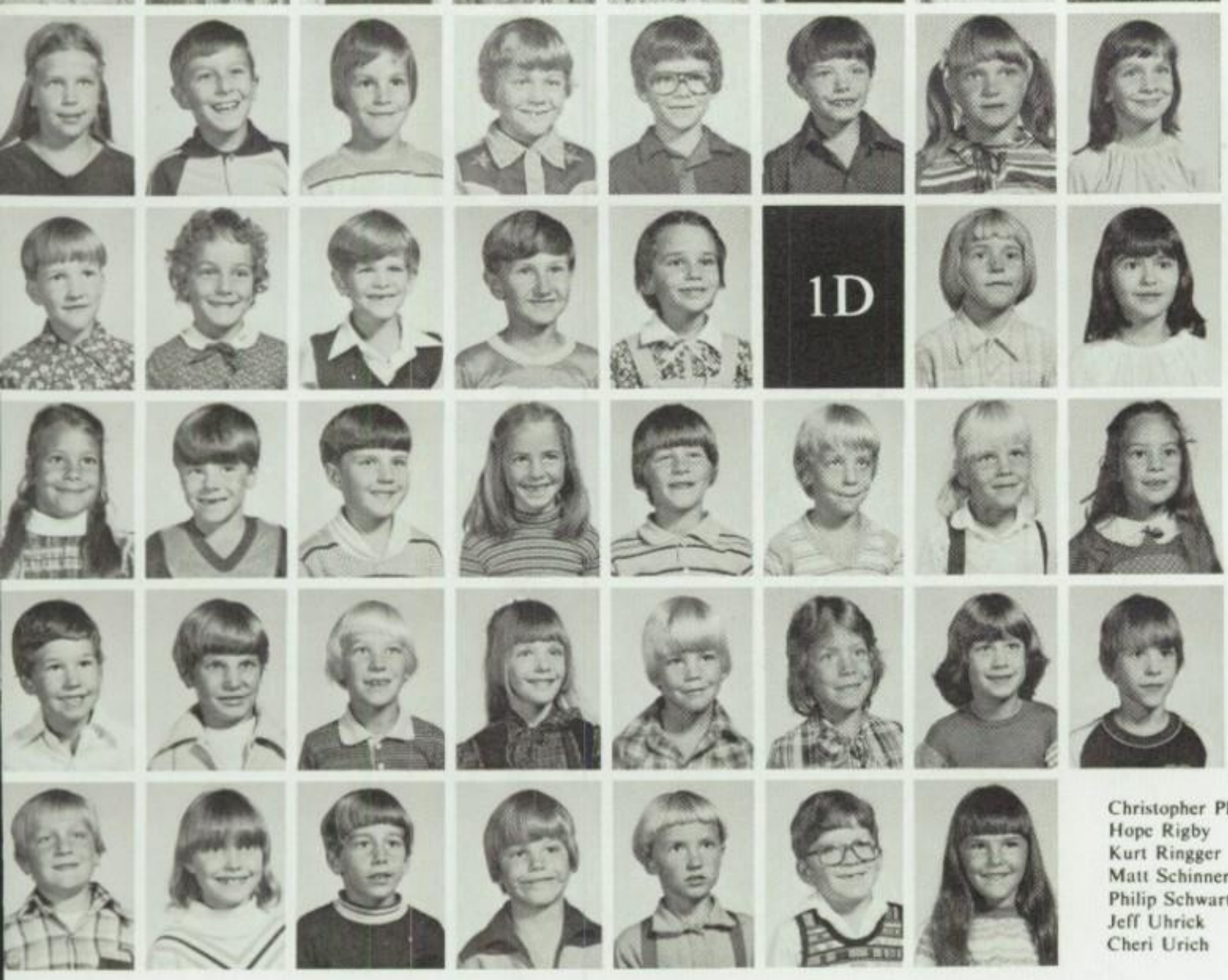
Luke Shifferly
Amy Stoner
Rodney Swygart
Justin Tom
Betsy Bluhm
James Bluhm
Mark Brunstrup

Mrs. Corle accepts gifts from her students at the first grade Christmas party.

Christmas parties are one of the many attractions of first grade.

Home on the Range was our theme for the year,
And each of us made our own cowhand gear,
A tall, western hat and a vest, oh so neat,
Holsters and guns that couldn't be beat.
Each room was a ranch with a name and a brand
And soon the Ranch bosses had each one in hand,
Mrs. Habegger headed the Smilin' H,
Miss Bonham, the Triple B,
Mrs. Lehman, the Lucky Horseshoe Ranch,
Mrs. Corle, The Circle C.
At Open-house in our seats there sat
A little cow-hand in a ten-gallon hat.
We've worked together in groups, large and small
To learn what we need for grade 2 next fall.
But, if you liked to know our very BEST thing-
'Twas our "all-night camp-over" at school in the Spring.
Over 100 campers-and did we have fun!
An exciting time for every-one!
We cooked and we ate and we swam-you must know-
And, of course, we had a mock rodeo!
First grade was fun we all would agree,
And we're sorry to part with our friends, yes-sir-ee!
-M. Habegger

Kristi Burris
Dawn Chrisman
Patrick Creque
Jodi Dague
Brad Garwood
Troy Girod
Stacey Griffiths
Nichole Hedington



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Nathan Isch
Michael Johnson
Daniel Kaehr
Benji Liechty
Mike Loshe
Jennifer Manley
Jennifer Mann

Robert Omspach
Patti Parrish
Chad Pruden
Daniel Thompson
Heather Townsend
Ricky Bollenbacher
Tricia Brown

Jenifer Collier
Corey DeRoo
Steven Douglas
Esther Ehrsam
Brandon Everett
Shelly Faurote
Stacey Fisher
Anne Hain

Seth Humble
Stan Jesionowski
David Krueckeberg
Dawn Mere
Brett Miller
Jennifer Morningstar
Marsha Myers
Steve Oliver

Christopher Plasterer
Hope Rigby
Kurt Ringger
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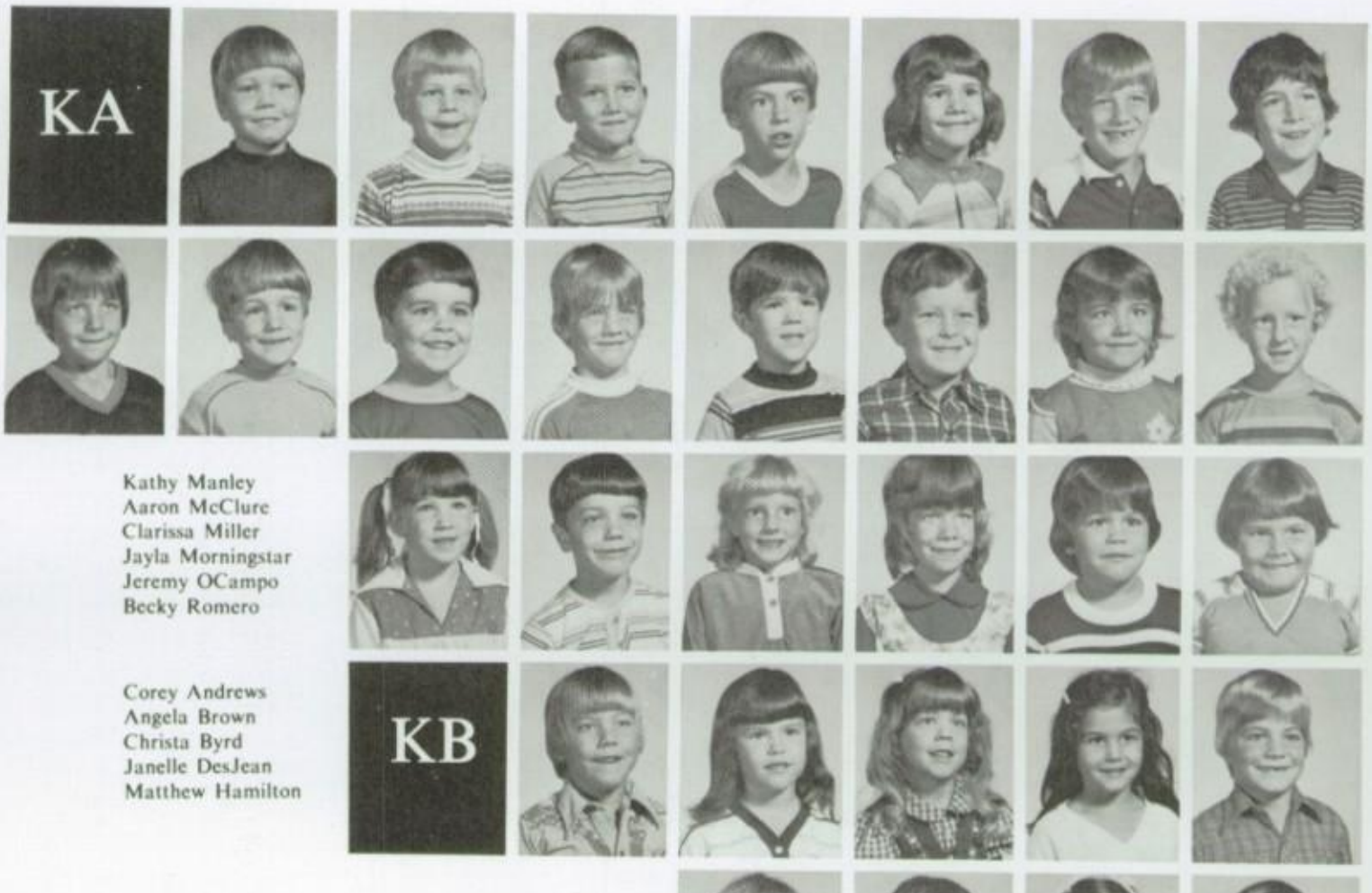
KINDERGARTEN BURSTS WITH ACTIVITY



Chet Arnold
Ryan Aschliman
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Doug Braun
Sarah Carter
Jason Deathe
Jonathan Emenhiser

Arron Eyanson
Paul Harnish
Michael Inniger
Brian Kaehr
Jason Kaylor
Aaron Lambright
Tammy Leyse
Mandy Longsworth

Kathy Manley
Aaron McClure
Clarissa Miller
Jayla Morningstar
Jeremy OCampo
Becky Romero

Corey Andrews
Angela Brown
Christa Byrd
Janelle DesJean
Matthew Hamilton

Sarah Harmon
Nathan Heyerly
Lisa Kirshner
Jason King

Jennifer Montzory
Jenny Plasterer
Paul Rumple
Thom Settle

Travis Shaffer
Joe Snyder
Jason Stewart
Joshua Siefring

The life of a kindergartener is filled with many different activities. Besides the basic finger painting and musical chairs the 1980-81 kindergarten class also devoted much of their time to learning their oral and written alphabet, beginning sounds and rhyming words, not to mention written numbers, shapes and left from right.

As the music stops, a kindergartener scampers to the last available chair.

"Hot Potato" helps Kindergarteners learn about sportsmanship while breaking every day routines.

Forrest Webb
Janet Wittwer

KC

Kriss Affolder

Nichole Archer
Matthew Bluhm
Cameron Clark
Jamie Heckert
Stephanie Isch
Jereme Lloyd
Staci Longsworth

Kirc Luginbill
Klint Moser
David Reinhard
Lana Ringger
Amy Roe
Lane Roe
Matt Schug

KD

Leann Sommer
Mandy Steffen
Jason Thieme
Trent Tonner
Wendy Whitted
Teresa Wilkins

Heather Archer
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Brandon Braun
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Kari Garwood
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Michell Hurst
Jerome Isch
Stephanie LaFontaine
Andy Lee
Jackie Lehman

John McAlhaney
Wade Sheets
Ryan Smith
Chad Smitley
Melinda Steffen
David Stucky
Lisa Uhrick

Not Pictured:
Richard Graffley
Christine Schwartz

Mrs. Ross uses **David Reinhard** as part of a demonstration; however, his classmates seem to be more interested in the camera.

THE FUNNEST PART OF THE SCHOOL YEAR WAS . . .

Getting into trouble . . . Dion James
Math . . . Adam Agler
Recess . . . Jason Girod
Christmas vacation . . . June Ringger
Going to the Fort . . . Craig Birch
Going to the zoo . . . Christine Furno
Gym . . . Jill Ringger
Cross Country meet . . . Cindy Bluhm
Reading . . . Tim Morgan
Coloring . . . Stacey Griffiths

Mrs. Lengerich and her fourth grade students take a tour of the sectional halls.

Sam Beer won a Sony T.V. for bringing in $822 in the M.S. Readathon.

Jim Bluhm and **Mark Sheets** won a dinner with "Digger" Phelps, and **Rachelle Glass** was the "Top Dog" in the M.S. Readathon, reading 700 books in 5 weeks.

Mrs. Joyce Speakman is honored during National Secretary week by a surprise guest.

The race is on!!

First place boy and girl winners of the cross country meet pose proudly at the awards' ceremony.

Mr. Habegger congratulates **Tracie Roe** as she crosses the finish line.

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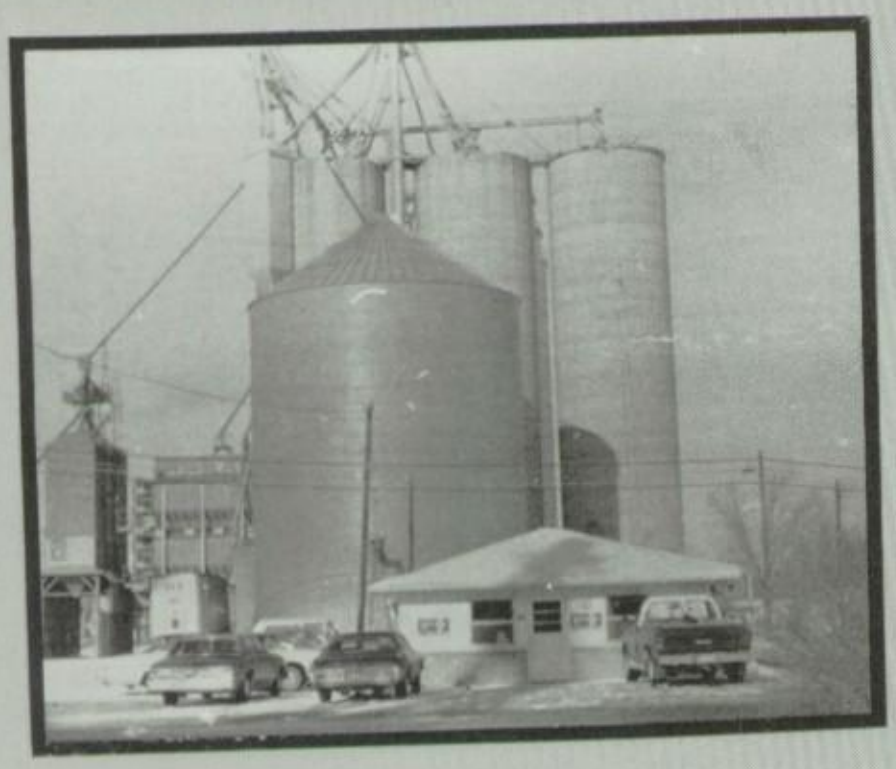

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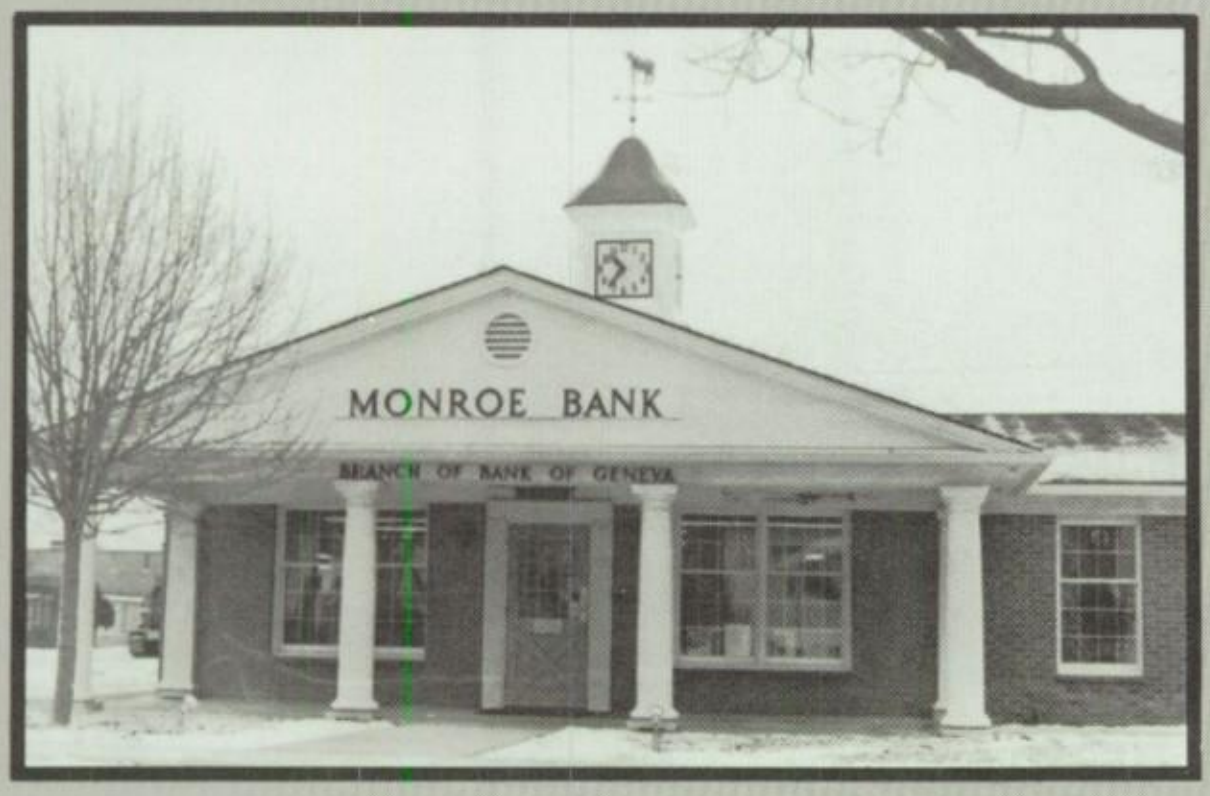

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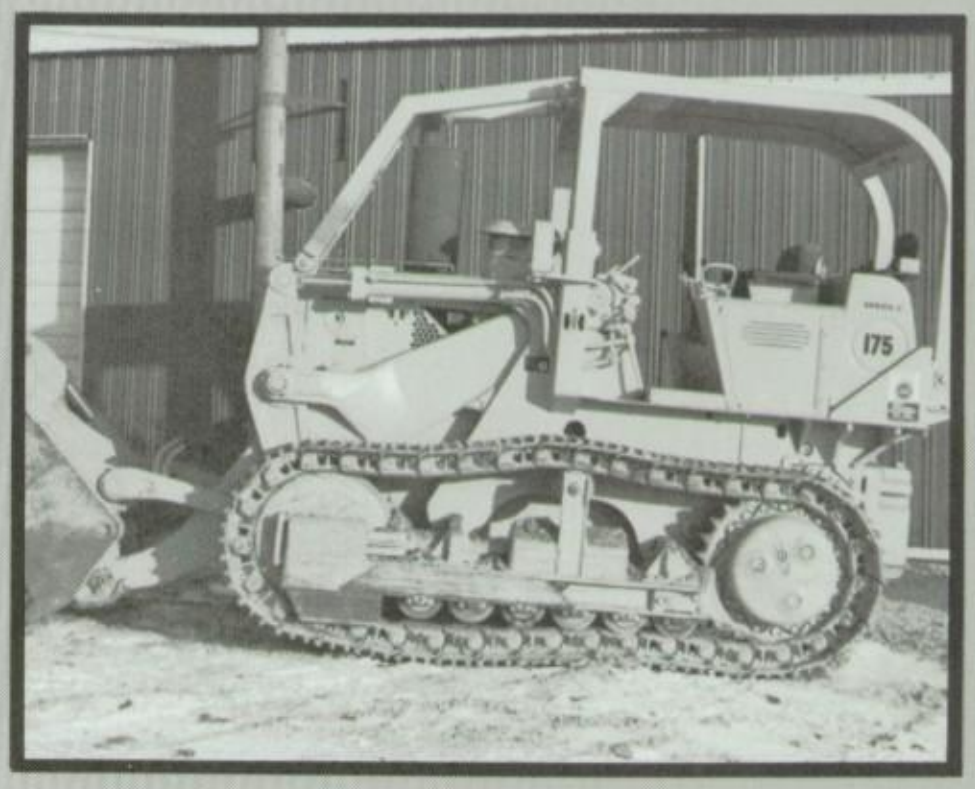

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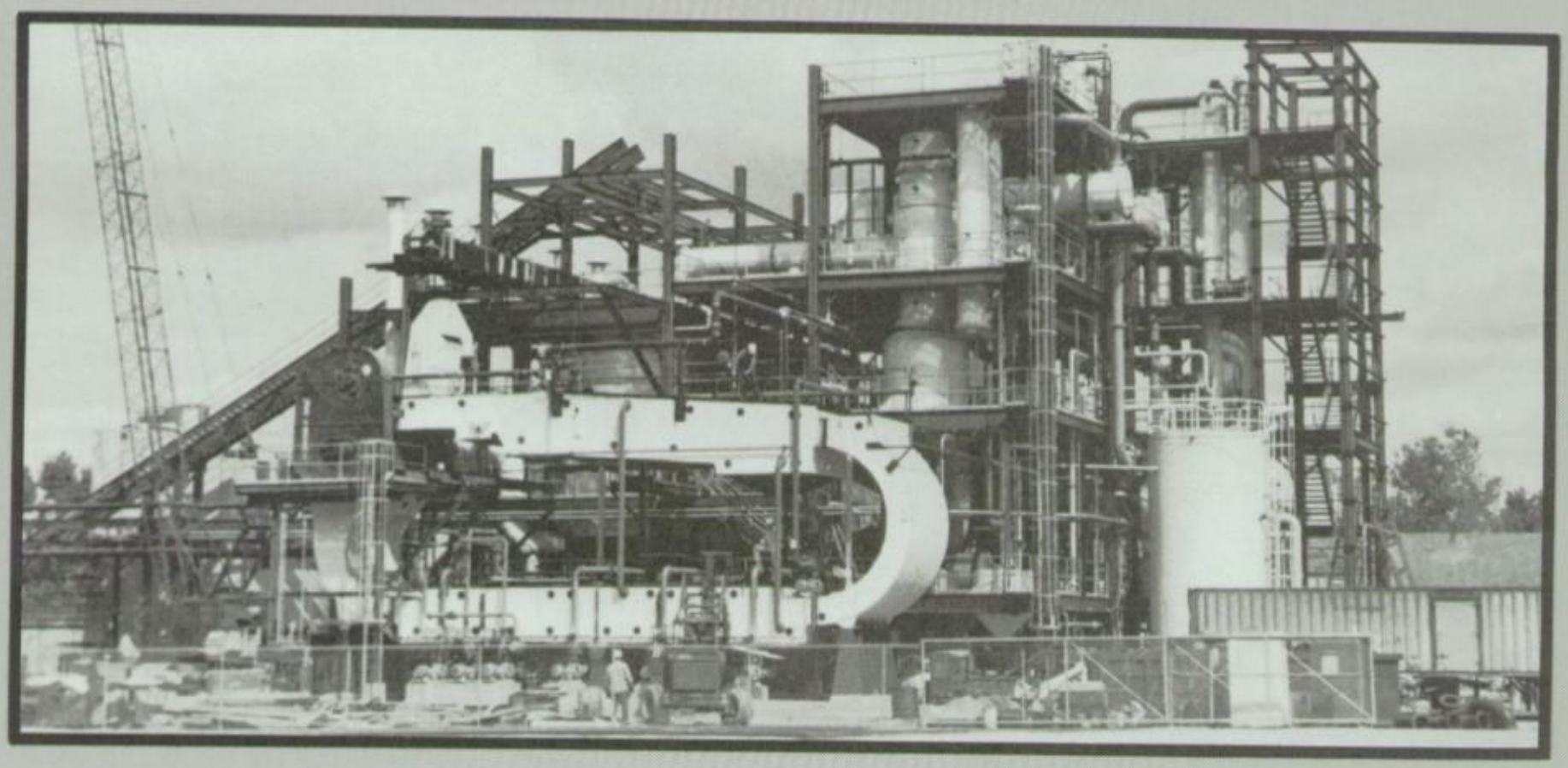

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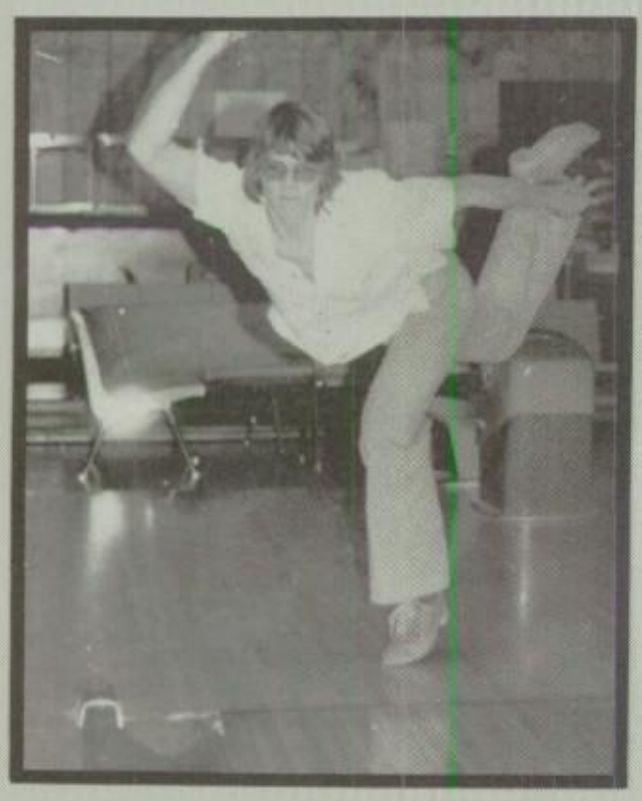

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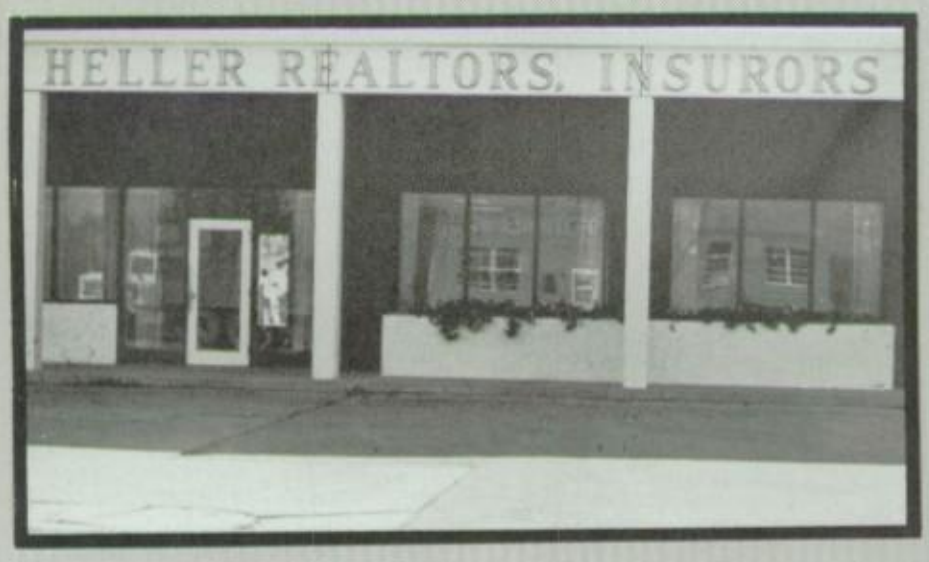

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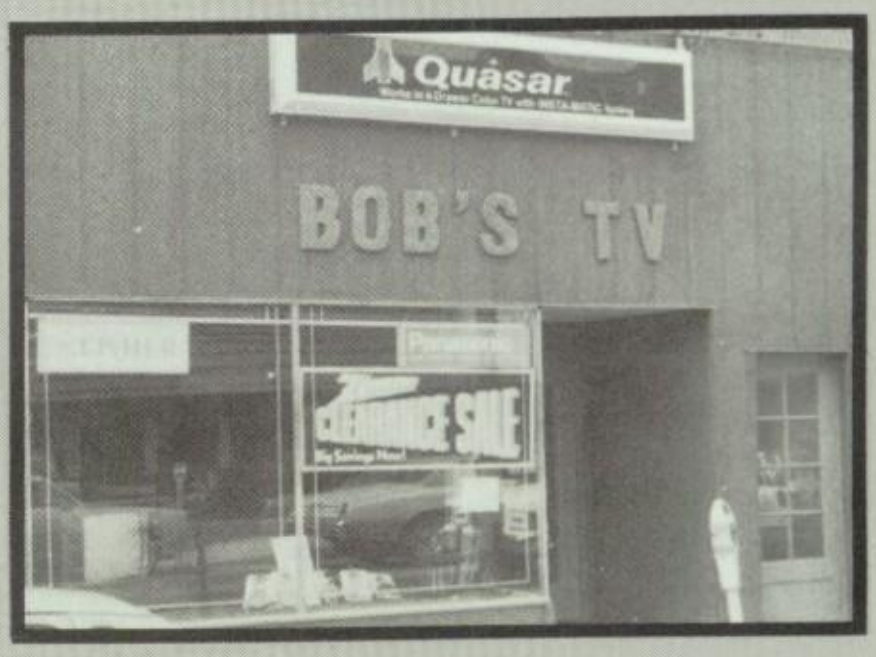

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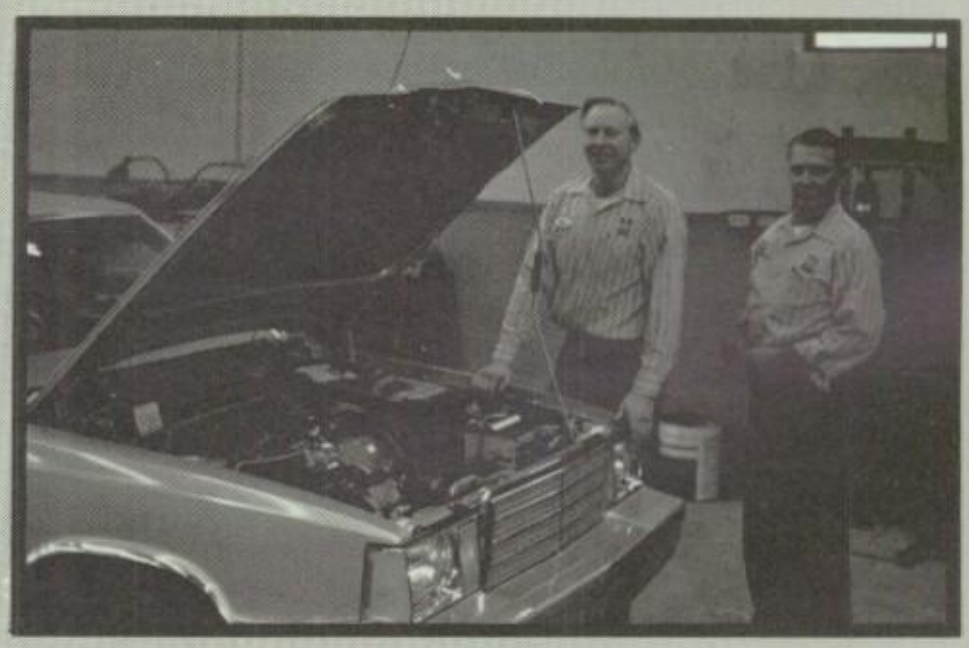

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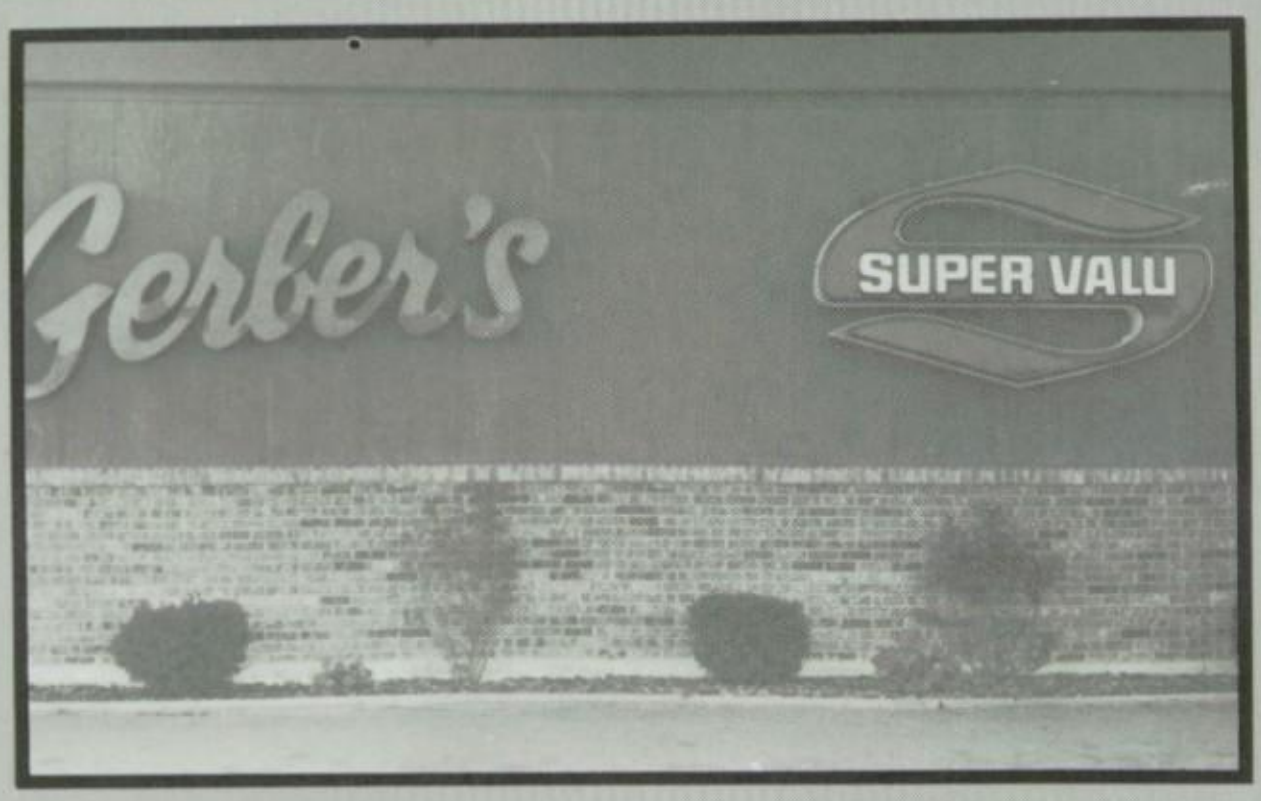

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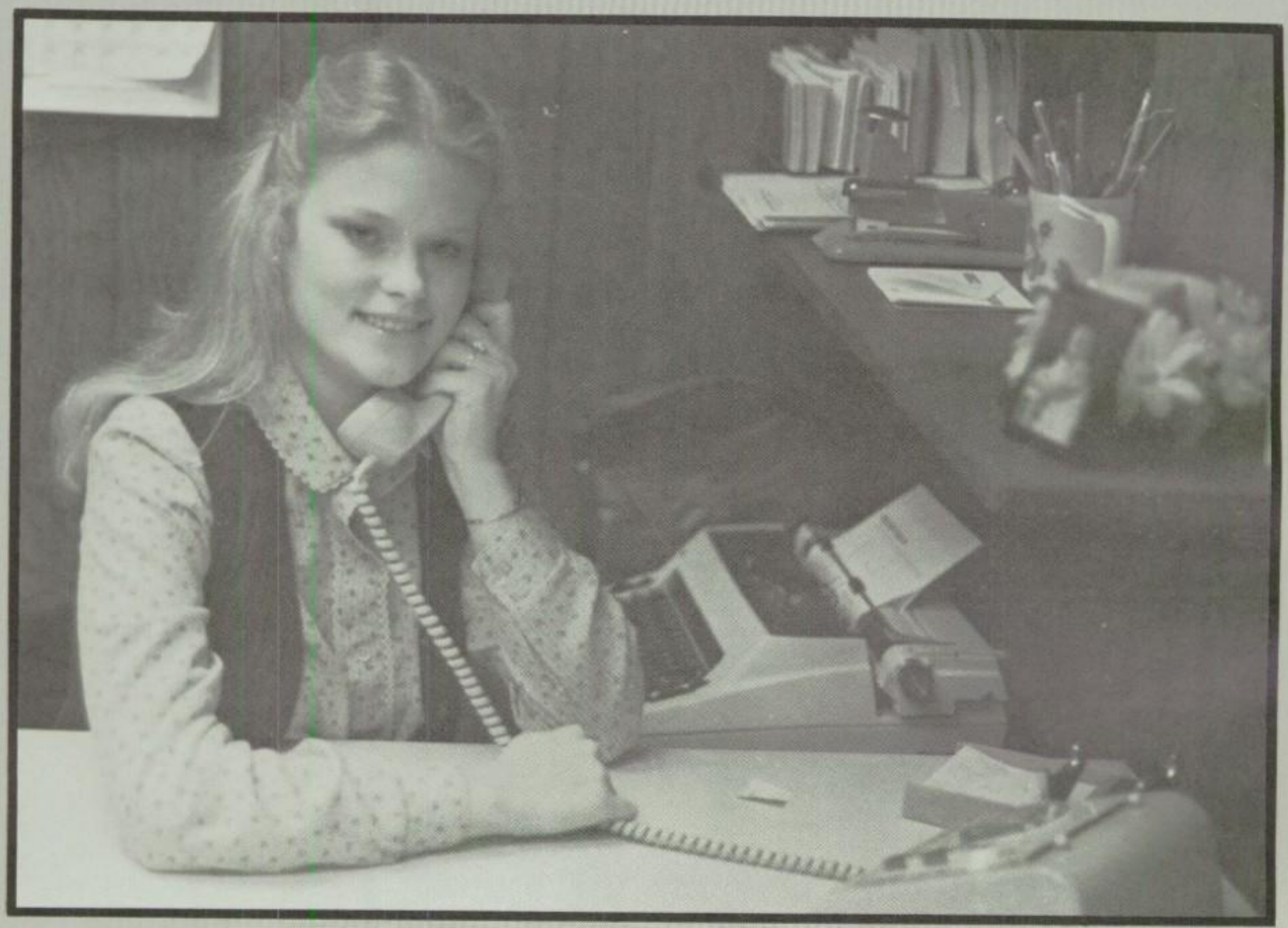

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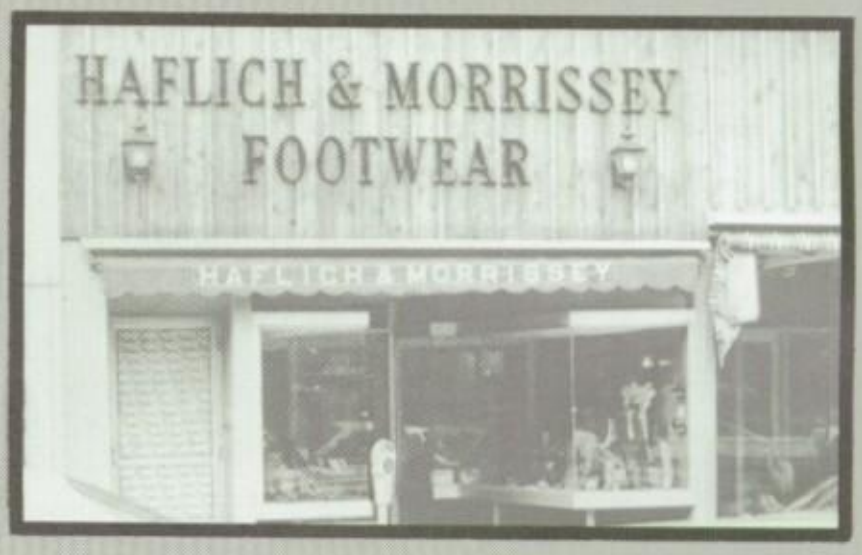

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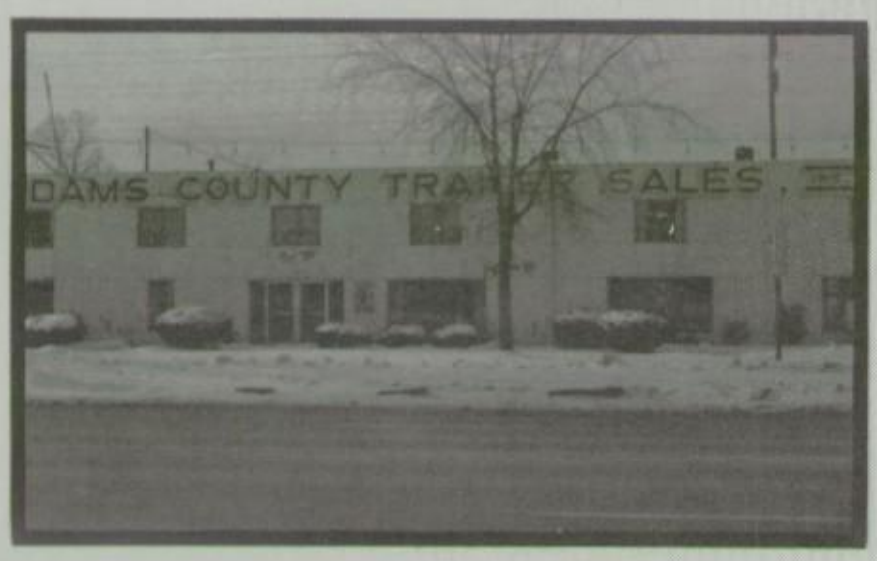

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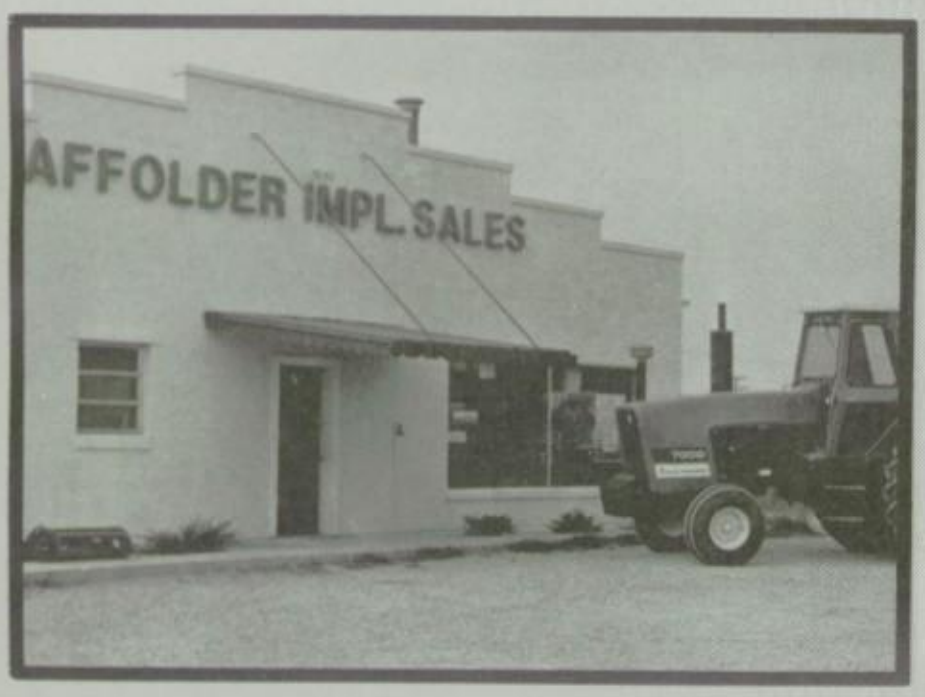

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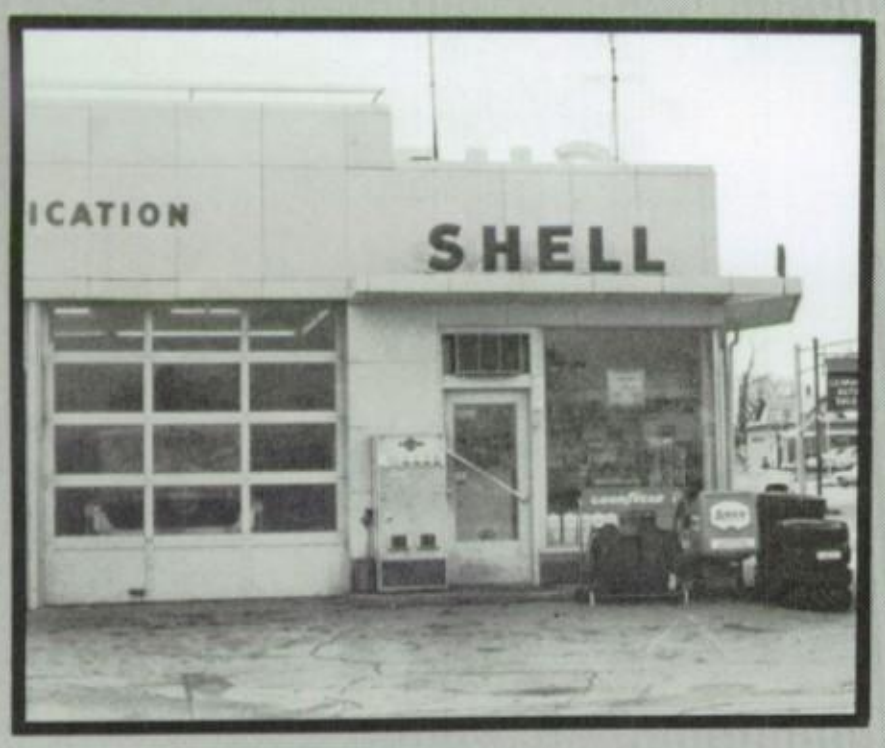

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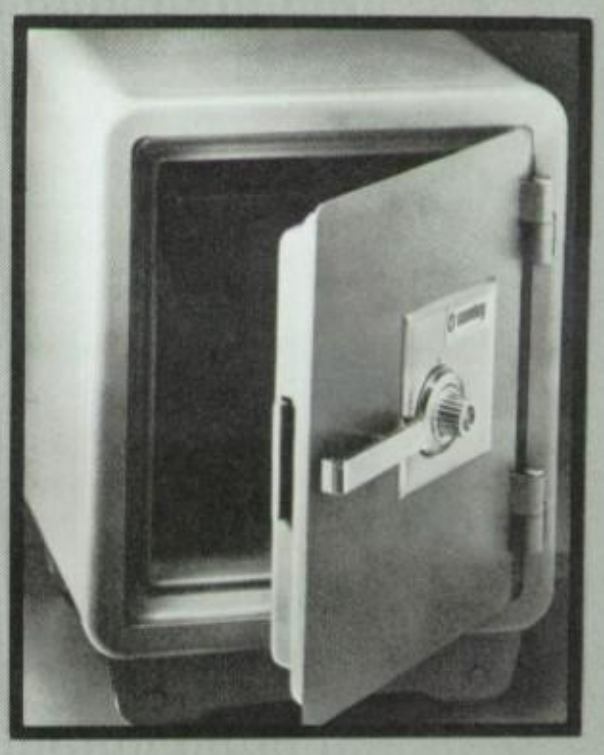

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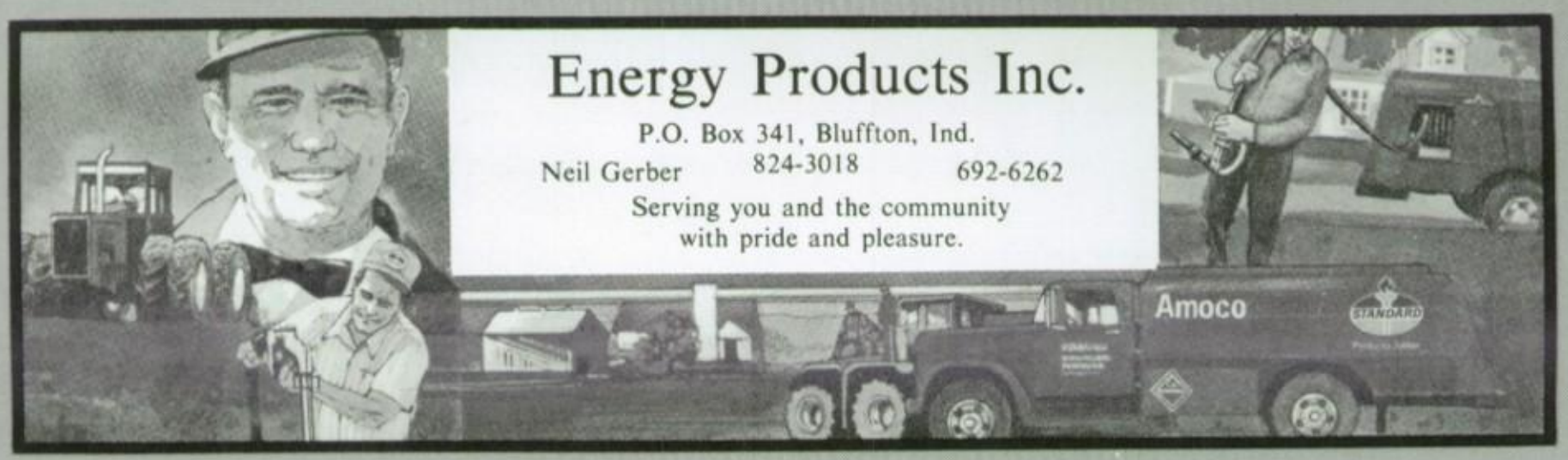

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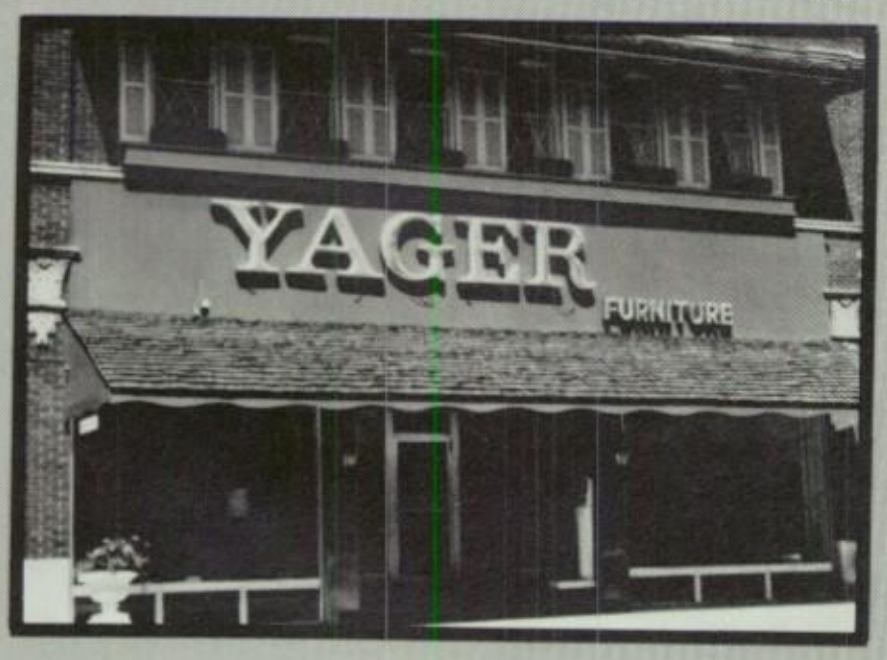

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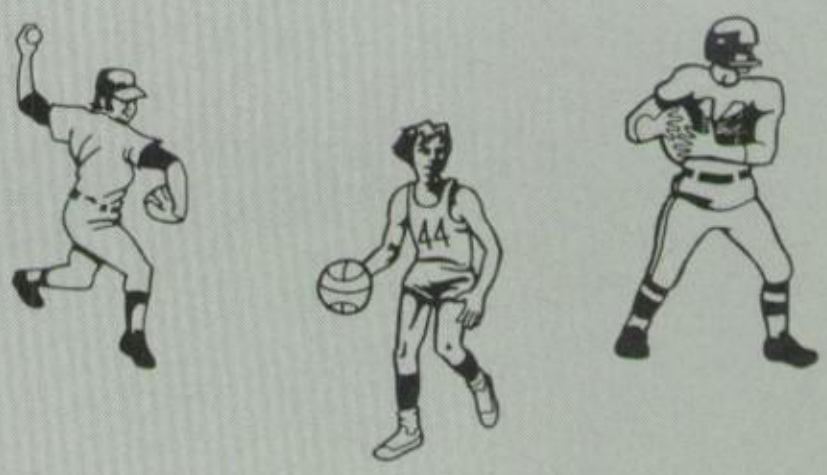

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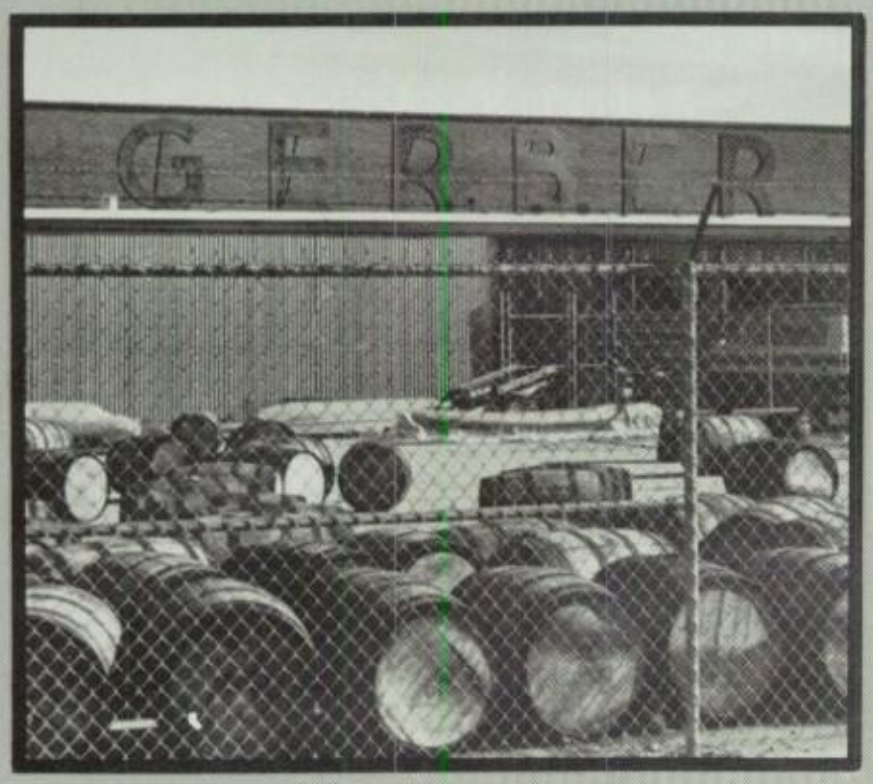

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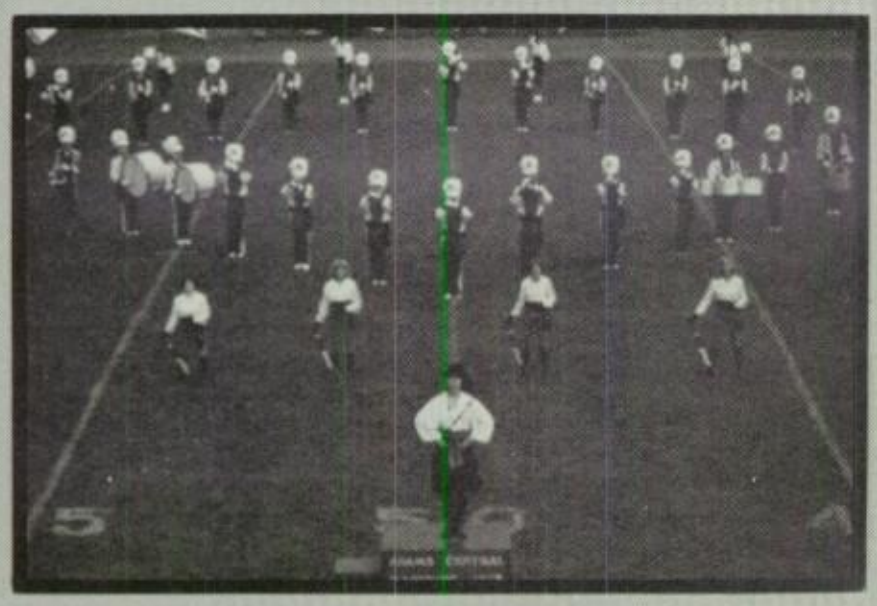

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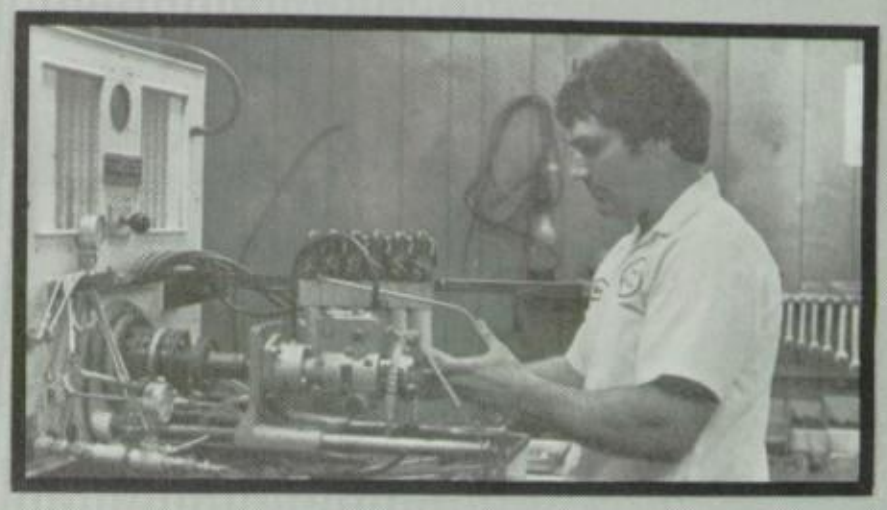

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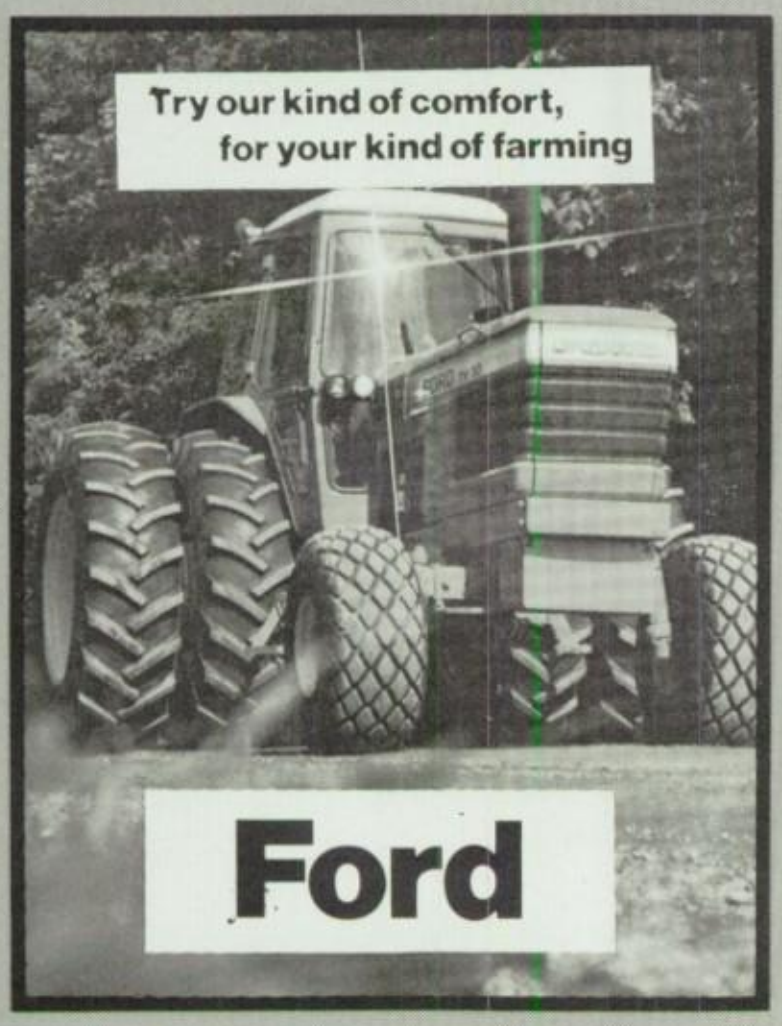

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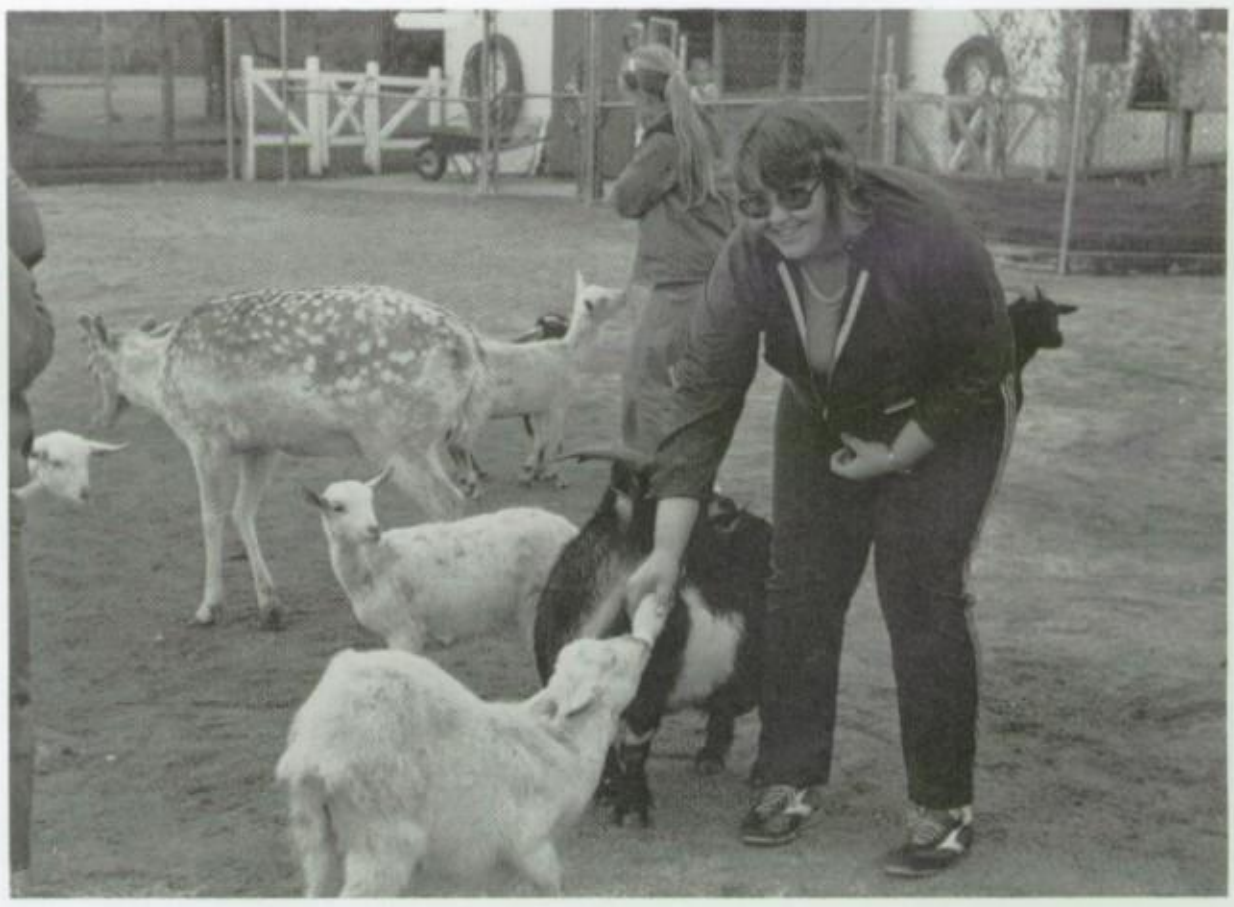

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